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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Students taking graduate courses during Morehead State University's Post Summer Session will have more than 80 options from which to choose.

The term, which is slated for July 12-30 on the main campus, will offer classes in art, business information systems, biology, economics, education, geography, history, health, mathematics, physical education, recreation, sociology, social work and vocational education. Each class meeting will run for two and one-half hours, five days a week for three weeks.

Those who did not advance register will need to prepare a trial schedule to be submitted to the department of their major. Holds on a student's record must be cleared prior to registration. Once the schedule is processed, the student may proceed to the Crager Room, Adron Doran University Center to pay their fees. All payments must be made and registration completed Monday, July 12.

Classes also begin on Monday at 8 a.m.

Anyone interested in taking a class during MSU's Post Summer Session may contact the Office of the Registrar at (606) 783-2008 for additional information.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Lonnie (Clark) Vice has been awarded the I.S. McAdory Memorial Award at Auburn University. The award is given to a sophomore veterinary student who was the outstanding freshman at AU.

An Owingsville native, Vice completed pre-veterinary coursework at Morehead State University. He was accepted to the Auburn University College of Veterinary Medicine in 1998.

He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in biology and integrated science from MSU in 1997 where he graduated with honors.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Some nationally and internationally known sports figures will speak during the third annual Sports Administration Summer Seminar Program which will be held on the Morehead State University campus, July 12-30.

"This graduate course places special emphasis on problems and strategies dealing with staffing, scheduling, records, broadcasting, fundraising, administration, ticketing, current sports issues, legal issues and sports nutrition," said Dr. Reginald F. Overton, MSU assistant professor of sports administration/recreation who directs the program.

Through course instruction and a variety of guest speakers, students will learn to implement current sports administration skills and practices in sports-related situations, Dr. Overton said.

In addition, graduate students will have an opportunity to learn first hand about current sports administration practices from guest professionals. "It is hoped that through this interaction, exciting job opportunities will be realized for some students," Dr. Overton said. The sports administration degree offers career opportunities in service agencies, high school and college athletics, management of sports and health clubs, sales and marketing.

Among those scheduled to address the class are: Jim Host of Host Communications, July 13; Dr. Bobby Barton, head athletic trainer at Eastern Kentucky University, July 14; Yang Ping, international aerobics instructor from Beijing Teacher's College of Physical Education, July 15; Mel Rosen, U.S. Olympic track coach from Auburn University;

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Dr. Anthony Malinauskas, retired nuclear chemist from Oak Ridge (Tenn.) Laboratory, July 16; Dr. Michael Jackson, sports facility management at Temple University in Philadelphia, July 19; Wayne Martin of Lexington, MSU alumnus and sports marketer, July 20; Dr. Brenda Malinauskas, MSU assistant professor of nutrition/dietetics, sports nutrition, July 22; Curtis Strain, Mountain Dew X-Games, July 23, and Mike Gottfried, MSU alumnus and a broadcaster with ESPN Sports Network, July 26. A tour of the Cincinnati Bengals training camp in Georgetown is slated for July 27.

The course, provided through a joint agreement between ECU and MSU, provides three hours of graduate credit. Contributing to the program is Pepsi-Cola Company as well as a number of local sponsors: Pasquale's Pizza and Pasta, La Finca Mexican Restaurant, Ramada Inn and Cutter's Roadhouse Restaurant.

The course also will be offered at distance learning sites in Richmond, Prestonsburg and Jackson from 10:40 a.m. to 1:10 p.m.

Additional information on the sports administration program is available from Dr. Overton at (606) 783-2176.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---The Morehead Writing Project at Morehead State University will host a public reading at the Kentucky Folk Art Center Saturday, July 10, from 7 to 10 p.m.

Featured readers will be Michael Pearson, creative nonfiction writer, and George Eklund, MSU associate professor of English and coordinator of the creative writing program.

Pearson, associate professor of English and the director of the creative writing program at Old Dominion University, will read from his recently published memoir, "Dreaming of Columbus: A Boyhood in the Bronx." His essays and stories have appeared in "The New York Times," "The Baltimore Sun," "The Boston Globe," "The Washington Post" and "The Southern Literary Journal." Pearson's first book, "Imagined Places: Journey's into Literary America" was published in 1991 and listed by the "New York Times Book Review" as one of the notable books of the year.

Eklund will read selections from his newest manuscript, "White Sinks," and chapbook, "The Sorrow of the King." An Al Smith Fellow in Poetry, Eklund has published numerous poetry in journals including "The North American Review," "Plainsongs," "Widener Review" "Poet and Critic" and "The Midwest Quarterly." His works has been included in "I Feel a Little Jumpy Around You" and "Through the Gap: An Anthology of Kentucky Poetry."

A reception and book signing will follow. The entertainment for the evening will be provided by Jayro MacNeil. Admission is free and open to the public.

Additional information is available from the Kentucky Folk Art Center at (606) 783-2204 or the Morehead Writing Project at (606) 783-2426.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---You might think that pro football, geese banding and the number googol (10 raised to the 100th power) have nothing in common.

But they all came together during the 1999 Morehead State University Gifted and Talented Institute attended by nearly 90 area middle school students and teachers.

During two separate weeklong summer camps, information focused on business, science, space and the environment. Students and teachers lived on MSU's campus while they took day trips to such places as the Cincinnati Bengals training camp in Georgetown, the Space Challenger Center in Hazard, Carter Caves and Cave Run Lake. While there, they participated in activities like helping wildlife naturalists band geese for identification purposes and using advanced mathematics concepts to build a space probe for a simulated aeronautics mission. At MSU, under the guidance of their teachers, the students completed individual research projects that expanded on what they had learned in the field.

The sessions are part of the Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Student Education Program, funded through a three-year grant awarded locally to the Fleming County school system in affiliation with MSU. Part of a nationwide effort to meet the special educational needs of gifted and talented students, the MSU institute provides middle school age students the opportunity to experience structured enrichment opportunities in an intensive, hands-on learning environment.

Twelve-year-old Kyrie Gialdini of Pine Knot Middle School in McCreary County said she especially enjoyed catching geese so that wildlife officials could tag them. "We had to grab them by the wings, and they kept kicking so they were hard to hold onto. One of them almost got away," she recalled.

Gialdini also had fun during the group's visit to Carter Caves, even though she was "too chicken" to rappel down the rock cliffs with some of the other students during an exercise designed to teach collaboration and cooperation.

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Brenda Harn, language arts teacher at Simons Middle School in Fleming County, observed that it was fulfilling to see her students so excited about learning. "At this age students can lose interest so easily," she said, "but this program integrates fun and learning so effectively that they don't even notice how hard they're working."

Robbie Dials, 15, who will be a ninth-grader at Fleming County High School in the fall, said he benefited most from the group's space travel experience at the Space Challenger Center. "We learned how to work in space by running our own mission. I helped send messages back and forth between Mission Control and the astronauts," he explained.

"I learned a lot more from these hands-on activities than I could have from a textbook," Dials said. "I want to do this again."

Teachers from McCreary, Leslie and Fleming counties were selected to participate in this year's institute. Debbie King, a mathematics teacher at PKMS, explained that teachers spent the two weeks learning right alongside their students. "There are 17 of us working toward the Gifted and Talented Endorsement as part of our master's degree and Rank I graduate work in education," King said. "The institute represents the practicum portion of the certification process, and next summer we'll complete the rest of the coursework." Eastern Kentucky University and the University of Kentucky also offer gifted and talented certification courses in cooperation with the institute.

Other faculty members from PKMS who participated in this year's program were Nazzie Ellis, science; Beth Staffey, art; and Fran Gay, music.

King and her colleagues became involved in the program after a notice announcing the institute was sent to her school system's gifted and talented coordinator, who then encouraged those interested in gifted and talented certification to apply. All costs for participation, including tuition, room, board, field trips and materials for teachers and students was paid by the Javits Grant.

Students enrolled in MSU's College of Education and Behavioral Sciences who are working toward their middle school certification served as institute assistants. They oversaw evening activities for the participants including nighttime nature walks, leadership exercises and teamwork activities.

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Among those serving as institute assistants were Missy Blair, **Leander** senior; Mary Ann Lane, **Mt. Sterling** senior; Jeff Leaman, **Germantown, Md.**, graduate student; Mark Leet, **Flemingsburg** junior; Tonia Lucas, **Ashland** junior; Will Oliver, **Campton** senior; and Paul Spare, **Hazard** senior.

Dr. Cathy Barlow, interim dean of the College of Education and Behavioral Sciences, was coordinator of this year's institute, assisted by Dreama Price, MSU assistant professor of education. "I am very pleased with how smoothly the first year of our three-year grant period has proceeded," Dr. Barlow said. "Everything went especially well throughout both weeks of the institute."

Cindy Peake, MSU instructor of education, and Janet Bignon, Rowan County Middle School science teacher, served as co-directors of activities.

Sessions next summer will focus on social studies, the arts and the humanities. Interested teachers and students who will be in grades six through eight during the 1999-2000 school year may call Price, coordinator of the 2000 institute, at (606) 783-2832 for more information.

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APPALACHIAN MUSICIANS AT MSU

Numerous musical groups perform annually during Morehead State University's Appalachian Celebration. The entertainers, who provide a variety of music from gospel to bluegrass, come from near and far to share their Appalachian heritage. Caney Creek, a local band, performed during the opening reception. Members of the group include, from left, Larry Albert, MSU professor of speech; Russ Ward, AHEC network coordinator at St. Claire Medical Center; Molly Carew, St. Claire Home Health; and Steve Young, MSU professor of education.

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1999 APPALACHIAN TREASURE AWARD RECIPIENT

A highlight of Morehead State University's Appalachian Celebration was the presentation of the Appalachian Treasure Award to Billy C. Clark, right, by MSU President Ronald G. Eaglin. The handmade rocker, the tangible symbol of the award, is given annually to recognize dedication in promoting and preserving the cultural heritage of Appalachia. Clark, originally from Catlettsburg, is a writer-in-residence at Longwood College in Farmville, Va.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Two Morehead State University students and four students from the Rowan County school system were among those recently honored by the Morehead Optimist Club, in cooperation with the City of Morehead, as part of Optimist International's program to show appreciation to outstanding youth in the community.

The students were chosen by counselors or advisers as representatives of their respective schools. Student selection was based on overall goals in addition to academic excellence.

Chosen to represent MSU were seniors Michelle Francis of **Bardstown** and Jason McCloud of **Rush**.

A member of Delta Gamma sorority, Francis recently completed a term as Student Government Association president and student representative on the University's Board of Regents. In addition, she has served on the Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education and Governor Patton's 1996 Taskforce on Postsecondary Education. She also has worked in the office of U.S. Congressman Ron Lewis as a student intern.

McCloud is a member of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity and serves as Student Government Association vice president for publicity. A member of the MSU Leadership Development Program, he also serves on the Greek Council, the Alcohol Task Force Committee and the Wellness Committee. He is the Interfraternity Council rush chair, a Student Alumni Ambassador and a Learning Lab tutor.

Representatives from Rowan County Senior High School include Jason Ellis and Erica Lafferty. Ellis, the son of John and Debbie Ellis of Morehead, is a member of the Academic Team, the tennis team, Future Business Leaders of America, Beta Club and student newspaper staff. Lafferty, the daughter of Wayne and Karen Lafferty of Morehead, is a National Merit Finalist, a Governor's Scholar, an Academic All-State team nominee and a member of Who's Who Among American High School Students. She is a member of the Academic Team, French Club, Volleyball Team, Tennis Team, choir and student newspaper staff.

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Rowan County Middle School representatives included Colton Jayne and Sara Perkins. Jayne is an eighth grade honor roll student who is a member of the basketball and track teams. He is the son of Tommy and Sabrina Jayne of Morehead. Perkins is an eighth grade honor roll member who participates in the Anchor Club and Educational Talent Search. She is the daughter of Susie and Dwight Perkins of Morehead.

The students, along with their counselors and advisors, were recognized during the Morehead Optimist Club Youth Appreciation Luncheon. In his remarks, Dr. C. Nelson Grote, former MSU president who served as the luncheon speaker, challenged the students "to aim high with their future goals and educational plans."

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MSU STUDENTS RECOGNIZED

Michelle Francis of Bardstown was one of two Morehead State University students recognized by the Morehead Optimist Club for maintaining high ideals in everyday life. Gathering for a group photo were, front row from left, Sara Perkins of Morehead, Colton Jayne of Morehead, Jason Ellis of Morehead and Jason McCloud, MSU senior, of Rush. Back row from left, is Morehead Mayor Brad Collins, Francis, Erica May Lafferty of Morehead and Dr. C. Nelson Grote, former MSU president who was the luncheon speaker.

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BOYS STATE TALENT WINNERS

The talent show was a popular event for the 110 high school seniors attending the 59th session of Kentucky Boys State, sponsored by the American Legion. The competition winners were announced at the program's closing ceremonies. Participating in the announcement were, from left, Bill Krebs of Burlington, who coordinated the talent show; Dan Sheffield of Ft. Thomas, first place winner; Jon Dittert of Lexington, second place winner, and Rob Swenson of Issaquah, W. Va., a junior counselor, who accepted the award for the young men of Garrett City, the third place winners. The Boys State program was held on the Morehead State University campus.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Students in Morehead State University's Department of Human Sciences participated in a "Historic Preservation, Retail and Design" study tour to Dearborn and Detroit, Mich., during the University's first summer session.

The group included: Sara Coleman, **Elkhorn City** sophomore; Nancy Claxon, **Oldtown** freshman; Amanda Dutton, **Louisa** freshman; Christy Holbrook, **Carlisle** senior; Lesley Montgomery, **Salyersville** sophomore; Connie Harless, **Inez** senior; Christi Stewart, **Ezel** senior; Beth Dingus, **Cynthiana** junior; and Hollie Stevens, **Ashland** sophomore. Accompanying the students were faculty sponsors Dr. Michelle Kunz and Jane C. Ellington, associate professors in the department.

While in Michigan, the group stayed at the Dearborn Inn which was designed and built by Henry Ford. They toured the Henry Ford Estate and Museum, historic Greenfield Village where Thomas Edison's laboratory is on permanent display; Detroit Institute of Arts; the Center for Creative Studies in the College of Art and Design in Detroit; the Renaissance Center; and Greektown via the Detroit people mover.

After returning to MSU, the students completed a research project related to historical preservation, design and display. The project included the historical design of homes and furnishings, family life in the early 20th century and the lives of Ford and Edison.

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MSU STUDENTS ENJOY STUDY TOUR

Students enrolled in Morehead State University's Department of Human Sciences participated in a "Historic Preservation, Retail and Design" study tour to Dearborn and Detroit, Mich., during the University's first summer session of classes. At the Henry Ford Museum, they stopped for a group photo. Participating were, from left, Sara Coleman, **Elkhorn City** sophomore; Nancy Claxon, **Oldtown** freshman; Amanda Dutton, **Louisa** freshman; Christy Holbrook, **Carlisle** senior; Lesley Montgomery, **Salyersville** sophomore; Connie Harless, **Inez** senior; Christi Stewart, **Ezel** senior; Beth Dingus, **Cynthiana** junior; and Hollie Stevens, **Ashland** sophomore. Accompanying the students were Dr. Michelle Kunz and Jane C. Ellington, associate professors in the department. While in Michigan, the group stayed at the Dearborn Inn, which was designed and built by Henry Ford, and toured a number of historic sites in the area including Greenfield Village, Detroit Institute of Arts, Center for Creative Studies in the College of Art and Design, Renaissance Center and Greektown. Students also completed a research project related to areas of study in historical preservation, retail design and display, historic styles of homes and their furnishings, family life in the 20th century and the American inventors Henry Ford and Thomas Edison.

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WEST CARTER STUDENTS VISIT MSU

Students from Connie Baker's zoology class at West Carter High School in Olive Hill attended a one-day workshop at Morehead State University's Water Testing and Microbiology Labs. Rita Wright, left, manager of the water testing lab, prepared laboratory mice for analysis by WCHS students Stacy Maggard, Amanda Henderson and Jamie Roe.

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WCHS Students Visit MSU -- A Picture Story

MOREHEAD, Ky.---Eighteen students in a zoology class from West Carter High School participated in a one-day workshop at Morehead State University's Water Testing and Microbiology Laboratories. They were accompanied by their teacher, Connie Baker.

The first phase of the workshop required students to test water samples that they had collected from rivers and creeks in the Olive Hill area to determine water quality.

In the second phase, students dissected mice that had been injected with soil from a bird roost to determine if histoplasmosis was present.

Cutlines:

1---Rita Wright, left, manager of MSU's Water Testing Lab, prepares laboratory mice for necropsy by WCHS students Stacy Maggard, Amanda Henderson and Jamie Roe.

2---WCHS students Jessica Workman and David Cannon position lab mice for dissection to detect the presence of histoplasmosis.

3---Kelli Hargett, left, and Becky Hamilton analyze laboratory mice as zoology teacher Connie Baker looks on.

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EAGLE LAKE CLEAN-UP

Approximately 50 Morehead State University students participated in the Eagle Lake Restoration Day earlier this year. Working on the water detail were, from left, Kelly Stewart, Lexington junior; Mike Stewart, Martin junior, and Melanie Newman, Grethel sophomore. The day's activities, which included food, entertainment and clean-up activities, was organized by undergraduate recreation students under the direction of Dr. Reginald F. Overton, assistant professor of health, physical education and recreation. A clean-up day will be held each semester to maintain the area around the lake.

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Among those elected were several participants from **Louisville**.

Elected to the Senate were Jason Brown, Joshua Creeden, Michael Newman and Andrew Terrance.

Elected to the House were Benjamin Goldammer and Jeremy Wiseman. Christopher Cook was elected president pro temp aide. Joseph Jacobs, Michael Mitchell and Jeffery Tujegue were elected Sergeant at Arms.

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Elected to the Senate were Jon Dittert, Adam Fox and Joseph Ruschell.

Elected to the House were Albert Harris, James Thompson and David Waespe

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Elected to the House were Jason Collins, Brandon Elliott and Nicolas Smallwood.

William Montgomery was elected Speaker of the House aide.

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Elected to the Senate were Reed Bateman, John Chaney, Paul Shumaker and Patrick Szeto.

Elected to the House were Justin Cowne, Benjamin Miller and Zachary Pfanstiel Timothy. Davis was named a governor's aide and Buddy Dillow was elected Sergeant at Arms.

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Elected to the Senate were Daniel Sheffield of **Ft. Thomas** and Benjamin Stamper of **Bellevue**.

Elected to the House were David Amend of **Covington**, Adam Jolley of **Walton**, Andrew Lauer of **Independence**, Garth Paquin of **Ft. Thomas**, Matt Pickeral of **Bellevue**, Blake Vogt of **Covington**, Thomas Wills of **Florence**, and Robert Wombles of **Covington**.

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Among those elected were several participants from **Ashland** area.

Elected to the House were James Caniff of Catlettsburg, Joshua Howard of Catlettsburg, Garry Sallie of Ashland and David Short of Ashland. David Prince of Flatwoods was named an aide to the lieutenant governor.

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Among those elected were several participants from **Elizabethtown**.

Elected to the Senate was Travis Roberts.

Elected to the House were Chris Carter, Patrick Fowler and Robert Greene. Andrew Caldwell was named an aide to the Boys State governor. Timothy Dao was elected Sergeant-at-Arms.

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Elected to the Senate were Brent Boden, Matthew Boone and Brady Smith.

Elected to the House were Thomas Mapp, Gabriel McGaha and Aaron Chadwell.

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Among those elected were several participants from **Hopkins County**.

Elected to the Senate were Kenneth Harryman of Dawson Springs and Richard Moore III of Madisonville.

Elected to the House were Aaron Bone of Madisonville, Chad Fugate of Madisonville, Nik Holum of Hanson and Jonathan Storms of Dawson Springs.

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Among those elected were several participants from **Mercer County**.

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Elected to the House were Josua Flora of Salvisa and Jason Atwell of Harrodsburg.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Tiffany Brooke Burchett of **Grayson** is among those students receiving a Leadership Award for the fall semester.

Burchett, the daughter of Keith and Ramona Burchett, is a graduate of East Carter High School. Listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students," she was a member of the National Beta honor society and was employed at the Carter County Clerk's office through the Cooperative Education Program.

To be eligible for the Leadership Award, applicants must be admitted to MSU as an entering freshman; have exhibited strong leadership and achievement capabilities through school and community activities; have a minimum ACT composite of 18, and have a 2.50 grade point average (on a 4.00 scale) based on seven semesters of work.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Cortney M. Baxter of **Maysville** is among those students receiving a Leadership Award for the fall semester.

Baxter, the daughter of Sidney and Sally Baxter, graduated from Mason County High School with a 3.75 grade point average. A Future Homemakers of America National Leadership delegate, she was a member of the Beta Club and the National Honor Society. She also has volunteered for various organizations such as UNICEF.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Jason K. Carroll of Olive Hill is among those students receiving a Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Carroll, the son of Cathy Carroll, is a graduate of West Carter High School. Salutatorian of his class, he received a Commonwealth Diploma and was selected to be a Senior Spotlight. A Community Service Club member, he is a certified lifeguard and volunteer firefighter.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Jessica Underwood of **Greenup** is among those students receiving a Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Underwood, the daughter of Judy Underwood, graduated from Greenup County High School in the top 10 percent of her class. Selected as a Senior Salute, she was a member of the Beta Club, the GCHS Dance Team and the Greenup First Baptist Church

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Christopher Michael Ward of Salyersville is among those students receiving a Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Ward, the son of Michael and Sharon Ward, is a graduate of Magoffin County High School. Listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students," he received the United States National Mathematics Award and had a 4.0 grade point average in mathematics.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Six East Kentucky school systems received \$1,000 scholarships for Morehead State University at the Fourth Annual Scholarship Golf Scramble, hosted by the University and the Kentucky Educational Development Corporation.

Selected as scholarship recipients in a random drawing were the school districts of Bath, Elliott, Johnson, Lawrence, Lewis and Morgan counties.

Other school districts that participated were Ashland Independent, Mason County, Paintsville Independent, Pendleton County, Pike County, Robertson County, Rowan County, Russell Independent and Wolfe County.

Fifteen KEDC school districts participated in the scramble, which was designed to enhance partnerships between the University, local school districts and leaders of the business community.

Taking first place in the scramble was the Paintsville Independent team, composed of Bill Mike Runyon, Charlie Adkins, David VanHoose and Rick Meek.

The second place team was Robertson County, composed of Chuck Brown, Joe Bane, Rick Kuertz, Greg Emmons and Matt Arnold.

Placing third was the Morgan County team, composed of Joe Dan Gold, Larry Salyer, Kemper Hamilton and Bill Kirkland.

Thirty-five area businesses sponsored the event, including Inacomp, Energy System Group, Sharp Electronics, Ross Sinclair and Co., IBM/GE, Litton Ford, Central School Supply, Commercial Bank of West Liberty, MSU Foundation, Holiday Inn of Morehead, Mountain Telephone, MSU Alumni Association, Morehead National Bank, Anixter, The Lightspan Partnership, Century 21 of Morehead;

Frederick and May Lumber Co., HEC Energy and Design Services, Inc., Hamilton Distributors/Heiners Bakery, Ken-Mor Stone, Inc., Peoples Bank of Sandy Hook, Schultz Graphics, Dr. Karen Shay Family Dentistry, Occasions, Farm Credit Services of Grayson, WKYT and Wayne Martin, Man O' War Golf, MSU Athletics, MSU Development, Kentucky Folk Art Center, Peyton's Pharmacy, Gift Gallery of West Liberty, Citizens Bank of Morehead, and H & W Sports of Lexington.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that three Rowan County students are among those receiving an Alumni Award and Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Ashley Brown, Larryn Suzanne Brown and Seth W. Thatcher are graduates of Rowan County Senior High School.

Ashley is the daughter of Jamie and Lisa Brown of Morehead. Listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students," she was also a participant of the Presidential Academic Education Awards Program.

Larryn, the daughter of Larry and Dermalene Brown of Clearfield, was a junior honor marshall for the 1998 RCSHS graduation. Receiving the Outstanding Health Services Award, she made Christmas cards for hospital patients and went caroling at the nursing home.

Seth, the son of Jerry and Melanie Thatcher of Morehead, earned a Commonwealth Diploma. Receiving the President's Award for Educational Excellence, he was a four-year member of the basketball team, tennis team, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Pep Club.

To be eligible for the Alumni Award, applicants must be admitted to MSU as an entering freshman; have exhibited strong leadership and achievement capabilities through school and community activities; have a minimum ACT composite of 18, and have a 2.50 grade point average (on a 4.00 scale) based on seven semesters of work.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Christopher Sinnett of **Grayson** is among those students receiving an Alumni Award and Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Sinnett, the son of Jeff and Valerie Porter, is a graduate of East Carter High School. Receiving a score of 32 on the American College Test (ACT), he was an All-American Scholar and a recipient of the National Science Merit Award. He is active in the children's ministry.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Ryan Terrell of **Union** is among those students receiving an Alumni Award and Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Terrell, the son of Walt and Karen Terrell, is a graduate of St. Henry District High School. He was a member of the Honor Roll and received a Service Award.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that Mary McHargue of Corbin is among those students receiving a Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Mchargue, the daughter of George and Audrey Hargue, is a graduate of Corbin High School. Listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students," she was a member of the Honor Roll, the Beta Club and Students Against Drunk Driving. She participated in the National Young Leadership Conference in Washington D.C. and various fundraisers for cystic fibrosis research.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University has announced that two **Pike County** residents, Jeremy Len Diamond and Keith Aaron Mills, are among those students receiving a Regents Scholarship for the fall semester.

Diamond, the son of Rufus and Linda Diamond of Forest Hills, is a graduate of Belfry High School. Serving as senior class reporter, he was a member of the Leo Club and received the Ernest Smokey Runyon Alumni Award.

Mills, the son of Dennis and Karen Mills of Phelps, is a graduate of Phelps High School. Listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students," he was a member of the National Honor Society, the Gifted and Talented Program, the President's Education Award Program, the Beta Club and the Drama Club. Receiving the "Best Defensive Lineman" award in football, he also received the "110 percent" award in baseball, the Performing Arts award for audience appeal and was named an Outstanding Speller.

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MOAR PARTICIPANTS AT MSU

The Morehead Occupational and Academic Retreat (MOAR) program, a six-week residential and academic work program for eighth grade students, is under way at Morehead State University. Among those taking part in the program are several students from Greenup County. They are, front row from left, Tiffany Kelly, Stephanie Doherty, Tausha Kibbey, Melissa Newhouse and Amanda Wilkerson. Second row from left are Samantha Kouns, Chelsea Carlisle, Amber Copas, Carla Brumfield and Simon Morgan. Back row from left are Thomas Grayson, David Nickel, Brandon Howard and David Chandler. The program is designed to generate enthusiasm for learning, to offer on-the-job work experience, and to increase the participant's ability to succeed in school and encourage them to continue their education. The program continues through July 24.

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SEPTEMBER HIGHLIGHTS AT MOREHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY

Aug. 16-Sept 10, Art Exhibit; Works by John Hegener and Barbara Shilo, gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays; free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Aug. 23-Sept. 17, Art Exhibit: Photography by Patti Schwartz, Strider Gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building; 8 a.m. 4 p.m., weekdays, free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Now-Sept. 26, Art Exhibit: "Rowan's Treasures," Kentucky Folk Art Center, Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sundays, 1-5 p.m. Admission is \$3 for those over 12; \$2 for seniors and groups, and free to KFAC members and MSU faculty and students. Additional information: (606) 783-2204.

Sept. 1, Soccer: MSU vs. Wright State, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 1, Volleyball: MSU vs. Marshall University, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Sept. 2, Football: MSU vs. Davidson College, Jayne Stadium, 7 p.m.; charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.

Sept. 4, Soccer: MSU vs. Youngstown State, Mahaney Soccer Field, 1 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 6, Labor Day; no classes or office hours.

Sept. 9, Sophomore recital: Jonathan Adkins, baritone, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 11, Soccer: MSU vs. Miami (Ohio), Mahaney Soccer Field, 3 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 12, Senior recital: Carrie Hegge, soprano, Duncan Recital Hall, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 15, Soccer: MSU vs. Northern Kentucky, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 15, Comedian Buzz Sutherland, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

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September Highlights

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Sept. 17, MSU Board of Regents meeting, Riggle Room, Adron Doran University Center, time TBA. Additional information: (606) 783-2030.

Sept. 20-Oct. 1, Graduate Show: Paul Hale, Strider Gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays; free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Sept. 21, Faculty recital: Jon Burgess, trumpet, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 24-25, Family Weekend, campus. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

Sept. 24, Volleyball: MSU vs. Tennessee-Martin, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Sept. 24, Ventriloquist Dan Horn, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

Sept. 25, Soccer: MSU vs. Eastern Illinois, Mahaney Soccer Field, noon, free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 25, Volleyball: MSU vs. Murray State University, Wetherby Gymnasium, 1 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Sept. 25, Football: MSU vs. Dayton, Jayne Stadium, 7 p.m., charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.

Sept. 28, Faculty Showcase Recital, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 29, Soccer: MSU Kentucky Wesleyan, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 30, Comedian Mitch Fatel, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

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AUGUST HIGHLIGHTS AT MOREHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY

Aug. 1-7, Coach Matt Ballard Football Camp, high school team camp. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.

Aug. 2-5, Coach Mike Swan Volleyball Camp, individual player camp. Additional information: (606) 783-2122 or 780-4036.

Aug. 6-9, Universal Cheerleaders Association Cheer Camp, Wetherby Gym; pre-registration required. Additional information and registration: (800) 238-0286 or (606) 783-2316.

Aug. 16-Sept. 10, Art Exhibit: Works by John Hegener and Barbara Shilo, gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays, free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Aug. 16, New Student Orientation, Button Auditorium, 7 p.m., also Aug. 17, 8:30 a.m. Additional information: (606) 783-2024.

Aug. 16, New Faculty Orientation, Eagle Dining Room, Adron Doran University Center, 8 a.m. Additional information: (606) 783-2807.

Aug. 18, Fall Convocation, Button Auditorium, 10 a.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2002.

Aug. 19-20, Class Scheduling and Business Days, in academic departments. Additional information: (800) 585-6781 or (606) 783-2002.

Aug. 21, Soccer: MSU vs. Charleston, Mahaney Soccer Field, 2 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Aug. 22, Street Dance/Ice Cream Fest, President's Lawn and ADUC Plaza, 8-11 p.m. Additional information: (606) 783-2298.

Aug. 23-Sept. 17, Art Exhibit: Photography by Patti Schwartz, Strider Gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays; free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Aug. 24-25, Central Kentucky Blood Center Blood Drive, Button Drill Room, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Additional information: (800) 775-2522 or (606) 783-4924.

Aug. 25, An Evening with Tom DeLuca, hypnotist, magician and comedian, Button Auditorium, 9:15 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

Aug. 28, Alumni Volleyball Match, Wetherby Gym, 2 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Aug. 30, Last day to register for fall semester classes.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MOREHEAD, Ky.---Business and industry leaders and educators from across the state will meet at Morehead State University on Wednesday, July 14, to discuss the job market of the future.

In the session, sponsored by the Northeastern Kentucky Professional Development Association, discussion will focus on preparing individuals for careers and determining the needs of employers who will need qualified workers. The forum will begin at 10 a.m. in the Adron Doran University Center.

Dr. Viola Miller, secretary of the Cabinet for Families and Children, will be the featured speaker.

Additional information on the forum is available by calling 783-2102.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Three individuals with ties to Morehead State University will be part of the first class of Leadership East Kentucky. Joining the group for the 1999 term are Garry Barker, director of the Kentucky Folk Art Center; Dr. Dan Connell, associate dean of academic support and extended campuses, and Dr. David Rudy, dean of the Institute for Regional Analysis and Public Policy.

An initiative of Gov. Paul Patton, Leadership East Kentucky provides opportunities for individuals to enhance their leadership skills while becoming more familiar with East Kentucky and building a network within the region. Class members come from business and industry, public and private organizations, education, government and religion.

Barker, who has been writing about the region for more than 20 years, is a Fleming County native and a graduate of Berea College. He has worked extensively with the arts and crafts movement in Appalachia, and has served as marketing director for Berea College student crafts.

He has served as president of the Southern Highland Craft Guild and director of the Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsmen. He is the author of nine books of fiction and non-fiction about the region and its people. His book, "The Handcraft Revival in Southern Appalachia, 1930-1990," is considered a standard reference for the history of the mountain craft industry.

Dr. Connell, who earned his B.S. and M.A. degrees from Ball State University and an Ed.D. degree from the University of Kentucky, has served as a lecturer in the Department of Leadership and Secondary Education and as interim director of planning at MSU, a grant writing consultant with Ashland Community College and a training consultant for TRIO Programs.

He came to the University from the Kentuckiana Metroversity Educational Opportunity Center where he had been director for 10 years. He has served on the board of directors of the National Council of Educational Opportunity Associations.

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Dr. Rudy, former chair of the Department of Sociology, Social Work and Criminology, was instrumental in developing IRAPP. Author of numerous articles on human behavior and a book on alcoholism, "Becoming Alcoholic: Alcoholics Anonymous and the Reality of Alcoholism," he has presented more than 30 papers on the various aspects of drug abuse. He was the recipient of the University's Distinguished Researcher Award in 1988.

He earned his B.A. degree from Gannon College, his M.A. degree from Akron University and the Ph.D. degree from Syracuse University.

Leadership East Kentucky is based on the statewide Leadership Kentucky program and encompasses the 49-county-region designated by Appalachian Regional Commission.

Throughout the year, members will participate in two-day sessions with guest speakers and regional tours. The Kentucky Folk Art Center hosted the group's recent session that included MSU President Ronald G. Eaglin, Bonnie Eaglin, Dr. Jack Ellis, Jerry Howell, Fred Brown, folk artist Minnie Adkins of Isonville and Rowan County Judge Executive Clyde Thomas, as speakers.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---More than 5,000 visitors from 48 states and 10 nations signed the guest register at Morehead State University's Kentucky Folk Art Center during the year that ended June 30.

Garry Barker, center director, estimates a total attendance for the 12-month period of more than 9,000 which includes group tours, programs, classes and other special events. Of this number, more than 60 percent were from out-of-state and the international roster included Russia, Scotland, Ireland, Australia, England, Germany, Brazil, Denmark, Canada and Argentina.

Visitors from the nearby states of Ohio and West Virginia recorded heavy visitation with substantial numbers coming from California (60), Illinois (64), Texas (45), Virginia (60), North Carolina (41), Pennsylvania (56), New York (35) and Minnesota (30).

Locally, programs such as fiction and poetry readings, sponsored by MSU's Department of English, Foreign Languages and Philosophy, drew standing-room only crowds, as did storytellers Donald Davis and Lynwood Montell. A partnership program with the Rowan County Middle School used the Kentucky Folk Art Center as a teaching resource.

"Overall attendance is still not what we want to see," said Barker, "but we are encouraged by the growing number of individual tourists who come from I-64 to the Center. Most of them spend money for food or gas while they are in Morehead, and that's the most important factor." New exit signs on I-64, the use of billboards and rack cards, an Internet Web site and listings in travel guides are helping build traffic to the Folk Art Center, as does the University's annual Appalachian Celebration which is now coordinated through the Center, Barker noted.

Predictions are that KFAC guests will continue to increase in the coming year. Approximately 200 are expected to attend the Folk Art Society of America's annual conference and visit the center in October. "This will be a perfect opportunity to give the center more visibility," Barker said.

Additional information is available by calling (606) 783-2204 or visiting the Kentucky Folk Art Center's Web site at www.kyfolkart.org.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Reaching out to help the local community has always been a priority for Morehead State University's veterinary clinic. Now that goal has reached a little bit farther—all the way to New York.

When the Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind, Inc., in Smithtown, N.Y., needed X-rays for its guide dogs in training, MSU's Veterinary Technology Program's veterinary clinic got a call; Erin Cleary of Winchester, puppy program coordinator for the foundation, contacted Dr. Scott Rundell, the program's coordinator.

Dr. Rundell and his staff were happy to provide the needed services for the foundation at no charge as an educational opportunity for the students. They worked out a plan where the dogs would visit the clinic for an afternoon where the X-rays would be performed. They would then be returned to Winchester where a "puppy walker" would oversee their progress for two years. After that time, if they pass the tests, the dogs enter the guide dog training program.

"This was a great experience for the students," Dr. Rundell said. "These X-rays pay particular attention to hip and elbow displacement. Our involvement is brief, but important. The students don't often get to work with dogs this well-trained and well-mannered. They have been very impressed with the dogs' behavior," Dr. Rundell said. "We do spays and neuters for the Humane Society on dogs that are not as well-trained as the dogs the Foundation sends."

The 22 students who work at the veterinary clinic, located at Derrickson Agricultural Farm, perform various health care procedures on animals, except surgery, Dr. Rundell said. Classes rotate through radiology, anesthesia, clinical pathology and large animal clinics. The X-ray program provided the students with clinical experience that enhance their classwork.

Among those participating in the X-ray procedures was April Baumgarten, an MSU senior from Lexington, who said the experience was very informative. "We got to do things ourselves," Baumgarten said. "This was all hands-on experience that will help us in the long run."

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Guide Dogs

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Sally Hargis, a Hawesville sophomore, who also helped with the guide dog X-rays, noted that the X-rays must be perfect because of the standards set by the Foundation. "We had to do it, and redo it, to learn exactly what we had to do for X-rays," she said.

For thousands of blind and partially sighted people, the guide dog is an effort towards greater independence and freedom. Because of its responsibilities, the dog must be in perfect health and MSU's Veterinary Technology Program is helping to promote that effort.

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VET TECH STUDENTS RECEIVE HAND-ON EXPERIENCES

Students enrolled in the Veterinary Technology Program at Morehead State University have numerous opportunities for hands-on experiences in their field. When the Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind, Inc., needed help, MSU's veterinary students answered the call by performing X-rays on the well-trained guide dogs. Preparing to X-ray the dog "Bebe," were, from left, Dawn Mitchell, Maysville sophomore; Cindi Kirk, Charleston, W. Va., junior, and Amy Branham, Pikeville senior. "This is a great experience for students," said Dr. Scott Rundell, MSU Veterinary Technology Program coordinator, who coordinated the guide dog project.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Twenty-three Morehead State University students are employed in paid positions in summer theatres across the country. Most students acquired their positions through competitive auditions and interviews at the Southern Theatre Conference or other regional and national auditions.

In our communication with employers and our students, we are increasingly aware that we have a very solid reputation, said Dr. Travis P. Lockhart, MSU director of theatre.

"Many of the companies are willing to hire MSU students year after year, and some companies are among the most outstanding regional theatres in America, most notably the Santa Fe Opera, the Flat Rock Playhouse and the Berkshire Theatre Festival," Dr. Lockhart said.

Amy Beth Adkins, **Ashland** graduating senior, is working as a performer at the Granbury Opera House in Texas.

Five students are working at the Paper Mill Theatre in Lowmansville, N.H. The students are Kristopher Castle, **Lowmansville** sophomore, costume designer; Melissa Mattingly, **Corbin** junior, costumer; Dale Marie Prenatt, **Paintsville** sophomore, assistant costume designer; and Christina Swanson, **Ashland** senior, technician.

Michael Moore, **Ashland** graduating senior, will be a performer with the Hampstead Players in Barnstead, N.H., during the summer and fall.

Seven students are performing in "Someday" at Grayson Lake State Park: Tres Dean, **Paintsville** graduate student; Robert Harris, **Olive Hill** freshman; Ladawna McIntyre, **Raceland** freshman; Matt Morpew, **Lexington** sophomore; Brooke Reed, **Louisville** sophomore; Shawn Slone, **Prestonsburg** graduating senior; and Elliot Van Hoose, **Paintsville** freshman. Victoria Hein, **Alexandria** senior, will serve as stage manager for the production. Dean also will perform with Palm Canyon Theatre in Palm Springs, Calif., and join Christie Pack, **Louisa** sophomore, at Disney World in Orlando. In the fall, Slone will work with Lexington Children's Theatre.

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Theatre Students

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Two students have been employed by the Santa Fe Opera in New Mexico: Gina Hayes, **McKee** junior, technician, and Elizabeth Payne, **South Point, Ohio**, junior, costumer.

Hyla Sue MacGregor, **Nicholasville** graduating senior, will work at New Harmony Theatre in Indiana as properties designer.

Two students are working in North Carolina this summer. Drew Maciula, **Middlesboro** junior, will be a technician at Brevard Music Center, and Phillip Ponder, **Crittenden** senior, will perform at Flat Rock Playhouse.

Troy Miller, **Augusta** sophomore, will perform at the Berkshire Theatre Festival in Stonebridge, Mass.; Jody Streible, **Hodgenville** graduating senior, will perform at Idlewild Theme Park in Pennsylvania; and David Probus, **Cynthiana** freshman, is a technician at Kincaid Theatre in Brooksville.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University will become the first institution in Kentucky to offer a degree program completely over the Internet. Beginning with the fall semester, MSU students will have the opportunity to complete the Master of Business Administration (MBA) degree 100 percent via the Internet within a two-year period.

"The technology allows students easier access," said Keith Moore, the program director. "They take the class when they have time, whether it's 9 a.m. or midnight. Since the program went online in 1996, there has been a 310 percent growth in enrollment."

All courses in the MBA program will be delivered via distance learning technology. Along with the Internet delivery system, some courses will be offered via compressed video and are available at MSU's regional distance learning classrooms in Ashland, Prestonsburg, West Liberty and Jackson. Compressed video courses are viewed live from the site through two-way audio and video interaction with the instructor and students at other sites. Both Internet and compressed video instruction save students commuting time.

"The crucial issue, specifically for MBA students, is access to education," said Dr. Rosemary Carlson, professor of finance. "Most of our MBA students are working professionals, so commuting to off-campus classes after work is difficult for them. Utilizing the Internet eliminates the time and place constraints of off-campus courses."

Software for the Internet program has "chat" features, allowing students to interact privately online. Homework is submitted electronically, and students can check on their own grades online. "Students tend to ask more questions via the Internet because there is a certain degree of anonymity there," Dr. Carlson said. "Students who are shy seem to feel much freer to add to the discussions in chat rooms."

The MBA program at MSU is designed for people who have completed undergraduate programs in any area. Those with degrees in business may complete the MBA with a minimum of 36 semester hours. Those who have earned a non-business undergraduate degree will finish the program with 36 graduate hours plus the necessary foundation/survey courses of up to 12 semester hours, to obtain the core competencies needed to be admitted fully to the MBA program.

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The program offers options in bank management, computer information systems, and human resource management. Each specialty option consists of four, three-credit-hour courses.

“The work still has to be done,” Moore said, “but this is a manager friendly MBA.”

Additional information the MBA program is available by calling (606) 783-2183.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Three teachers from the Jackson area were among the 29 participants in the Kentucky Reading Project held recently at Morehead State University. The project, a collaborative professional development program, is aimed at enhancing literacy skills among primary-aged children and their families.

The participants included:

Bonnie Cole, wife of Darryl Cole of **Booneville**. She is a Girl Scout leader, PTO secretary and a member of the Literacy Action Team.

Brenda Kay Trimble of **Rousseau**, the daughter of Ted Manns. She is the teacher representative for site based decision making at Rousseau Elementary School.

Arlena Combs Turner, the wife of Silas Turner of **Altro**. She is a family resource secretary, participant in America Reads and a former academic team coach at Highland-Turner Elementary School.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Six teachers from the **Ashland area** were among 29 teachers who participated in the Kentucky Reading Project held recently at Morehead State University. The project, a collaborative professional development program, is aimed at enhancing literacy skills among primary-aged children and their families.

Among those attending from Cannonsburg Elementary School were Lisa Bocard and Sharon Wolfe. Attending from Hager Elementary School were Sharon Faulkner, Linda Mahanna, Beverly Pitsenberger and Nancy C. Ross.

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Attending the summer program were:

Melissa Lewis, wife of Bobby Lewis. She is active in PTA and KEA and is a reading leader at Olive Hill Elementary School.

Christie Lowe, a primary teacher, is active in CCEA and KEA. She serves as PTA treasurer.

Linda Lowe, wife of Grady Lowe, is active in KEA and CCEA. She has served on the site based council and is a member of the Olive Hill Historical Society.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Three Fleming County teachers were among the 29 participants in the Kentucky Reading Project held recently at Morehead State University. The project, a collaborative professional development program, is aimed at enhancing literacy skills among primary-aged children and their families.

Attending the summer program were:

Kathy Davenport, wife of Tom Davenport of **Flemingsburg**. She is active in KCTE and mother of one daughter, Rebecca.

Bettye Masters, wife of Dan Masters of **Flemingsburg**. She is active in KEA, NEA, NCTE and KCTE. She is the mother of two, John and Marc.

Martha Thompson, wife of Barry Thompson of **Hillsboro**.

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Attending the summer program were:

Mary McCarty, wife of James McCarty of **Hager Hill**. She is active in NEA, KEA and JCEA.

Lorene Breeding, wife of Billy Breeding of **Paintsville**. She is active in KEA, NEA and JCEA.

Cherie Deskins, wife of Thomas Deskins of **Paintsville** and the daughter of John and Cheryl Ramey. She is a member of NEA, KEA, JCEA and Delta Kappa Gamma Educational Society.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Three Menifee County teachers were among the 29 participants in the Kentucky Reading Project held recently at Morehead State University. The project, a collaborative professional development program, was aimed at enhancing literacy skills among primary-aged children and their families.

Participating were Christina Hall, wife of Jon Hall of **Frenchburg**; Vicki Hurt, wife of Calvin Hurt of **Wellington**; and Shiela Ratliff, wife of Tim Ratliff of **Means**.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.—Four teachers from **Mt. Olivet** were among the 29 participants in the Kentucky Reading Project held recently at Morehead State University. The project, a collaborative professional development program, was aimed at enhancing literacy skills among primary-aged children and their families.

Participating were:

Karen Ross, wife of Ryan Ross and the daughter of Norman and Loretta Staggs. She is active in KEA, NEA and RCEA.

Becky Schalch, wife of Marvin Schalch and the daughter of Danny and Peggy Hedges. She is active in KEA, NEA and RCEA. She also coaches junior cheerleading and high school tennis.

Donita Vickers Thomas, wife of Steve Thomas and the daughter of Garnett W. Vickers and Donna Sue Vickers. A Kentucky Writing Project fellow, she is active in KEA, NEA and RCEA.

Treva Woods, the wife of Jeff Woods and daughter of Bradley and Debbie Gifford. She is active in KEA, NEA and RCEA. She also serves as a basketball coach.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.--Four teachers from **Morehead** were among the 29 participants in the Kentucky Reading Project held recently at Morehead State University. The project, a collaborative professional development program, is aimed at enhancing literacy skills among primary-aged children and their families.

Attending the summer session were: Rhonda Banks, wife of Paul Banks; Brigitte Brock, wife of Bill Brock; Jill Oddis, wife of Frank Oddis and mother of Jared and Ivy; and Anne Teager, wife of Glen Teager.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---The opportunity to complete a course without pursuing a degree is offering many students a chance to grow by taking classes at Morehead State University.

When John Griffiths of Franklin Furnace, Ohio, was laid off from his position as operations manager of a wholesale distribution company after 13 1/2 years, he looked to MSU's Ashland Area Extended Campus Center for a career alternative. He decided to enroll in a class or two at a time to prepare himself for the Certified Public Accountant examination.

"With my MBA, I had good skills but in a limited range," he said. "I wanted to go for the CPA to make myself more employable."

Griffiths began taking courses at the Ashland Center in 1996, under the direction of Terry Elliott, MSU assistant professor of accounting. He needed 24 hours in accounting to qualify for the CPA exam.

Currently employed by Hallmark Home Medical Services, Griffiths serves as a financial controller for a multi-corporation health care organization. "I've been surprised by how much of the knowledge I've gained from these classes I can use on the job," he said. "It really has made a huge difference."

Many students who are enrolled in classes at MSU are not seeking degrees. Although some of them already have degrees, several take classes for enrichment or as a hobby.

"I'm not interested in a degree," said Violet Vago of Salt Lick, a member of St. Claire Medical Center's Home Health department. "I just want to learn everything I possibly can."

Vago, who recently completed a course in watercolor painting, has been taking a class each semester for the past three years through MSU's Department of Art. "My job is flexible enough that I can work in one class," she said. "My employers have been wonderful about letting me do this."

"The class is not easy, but it's pure joy," Vago said. "I don't have to worry about grades. That gives me a lot of freedom to learn. It's been a revelation to learn just for the sake of learning."

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Taking Classes

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“Art is part of my life,” she said. “I think everyone has an interest that they want to pursue, something that completes them. A lot of people wait until retirement age to begin, but I would encourage anyone who has an interest not to wait. Pursue it now.”

To register for a class, students who do not have a college degree and are non-degree-seeking, need to complete an undergraduate application form and mark “special” in the student status blank, according to Sandy Barker, MSU assistant director of admissions. If a student needs financial assistance to help cover expenses, high school transcripts or GED equivalent documentation, ACT or SAT scores and a completed financial aid form must accompany the application.

For those who have a degree, the application process begins in the graduate office.

The fall semester begins with registration and business days on Wednesday, Aug. 18, for freshman and transfer students. Upperclassmen may register on Thursday and Friday, Aug. 19-20.

Additional information on classes at Morehead State University is available from the Office of the Registrar at (606) 783-2008.

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NEW PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER AT MSU

Barbara A. Hayes of Lexington was recently sworn in as a police officer with Morehead State University's Office of Public Safety. The oath of office was administered by Carol Johnson, administrative assistant to MSU President Ronald G. Eaglin. Hayes, who had previously been employed at MSU from July 1990 until Dec. 1993, will be a supervisor on the night shift. She comes to the University from Lexington where she spent the last five and one-half years as a public safety officer at the Lexington Bluegrass Airport. While there, she gained experience as an aircrash and rescue firefighter and an Emergency Medical Technician.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---His longevity and commitment to service have provided Jack Henson a unique perspective on the development of Morehead State University.

Henson, who is retiring after 30 years of service to the University, has experienced six presidencies, a technological revolution and an overhaul of the Kentucky education system during his tenure.

Originally from McRae, Ark., Henson came to MSU in June 1969, to serve as the first director of the Adron Doran University Center, which was still under construction. He received his bachelor's and master's degrees in business education from Arkansas State University at Jonesboro. While working at ASU, he had helped to open an ultra-modern student center. He later received a second master's degree in higher education with an emphasis in student personnel from Morehead State.

Henson's fiance, Nancy, moved to Morehead in 1967 to teach mathematics at MSU; when they married in 1968, he joined her to take the helm of the campus' center of activity where he would stay for 17 1/2 years.

"My primary goal was to offer services to students, faculty, visitors and the community," Henson said. "The student center is the hub of the campus and the University's main point of connection to the community. In those early years, we hosted all the proms and banquets for the surrounding county schools. We also were responsible for programming on campus such as dances, pool tournaments, special events and coffeehouses," he said. Among his early staff was Bob Neff, who is now president of the Citizens Bank in Morehead, was his graduate assistant.

Through his contacts at the university center, Henson developed friendships with people in an assortment of positions at MSU and throughout the community. "I had friends who were students, faculty, administrators, alumni and visitors."

As part of his work with students, Henson helped develop MSU's Interfraternity Council and served as the first faculty adviser for the Greek system during its formative years. He also served as chapter adviser for Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity and its alumni board. "I have really enjoyed working with the fraternity and having the opportunity to watch these young men grow and work together," he said.

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Jack Henson
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Henson also helped to develop MSU's first Program Council, the forerunner of what is now the Student Activities Council, which plans programming for the University. "Janet Coakley, who is now president of the Alumni Association, was one of my first workstudy students and helped to develop the council," Henson said.

With the budget and personnel cuts of the late 1980s, Henson began experiencing burnout, realizing that he could no longer run the facility the way it should be operated. "Because we lived in an apartment in the student center, we were there seven days a week," he said. "During the '80s, I lost the challenge of operating the center and I felt that it was time for a change."

For a number of years, Henson had been teaching part-time in the College of Business where he had tenure and rank, so he retired from the student center and began teaching full-time. "I started a new life at that point," he said.

Henson said that because technology had advanced so dramatically, he had to learn more about computers. "Now 80 percent of what we teach involves technology," he said. "We moved from one small computer lab in the late '80s to seven computer classrooms in the College of Business currently."

Henson served a total of 12 1/2 years in the Department of Information Sciences, serving as interim chair for two years. He became active in business education associations on state, regional and national levels, attending conferences, holding offices and making presentations.

Currently, he serves as the membership chairman and a member of the board of the Kentucky Business Educators Association, as the Kentucky representative on the board of the Southern Business Educators Association and as the Southern Representative-elect for the International Business Educators Association.

With education and experience in business education, Henson began advising students in business education. "I love working with student teachers," he said. "They have a refreshing enthusiasm and a thirst for knowledge. They want to be the best teachers they can possibly be and they want to know everything."

Henson has served on several education task forces and was trained as a Region 7 Associate to help implement the Kentucky Education Reform Act. "We are seeing some excellent young teachers going into classrooms, and their test scores are indicative of their qualifications," he said.

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For 10 years, Henson has served as a teacher educator, and in the fall of 1999, he will be supervising student teachers for the Kentucky Teacher Internship Program.

Not only has he given service to the University, but Henson has served the community through a number of organizations, including the U.S. Army National Guard, the Baptist Student Union and the First Baptist and Clearfield Baptist churches. As a member of the Optimist Club, he is a past distinguished president of the local chapter and past distinguished Lt. Gov. of the Ky.-W.Va. district.

When Mrs. Henson retires next January, the couple plans to return to Jonesboro, Ark., to be closer to family. "I'd like to buy a home and fix it up the way I want it. I'd also like to travel around the country and do some hunting and fishing," he said.

What will he miss most about Morehead? "That's easy. I will miss the people," Henson quickly notes.

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HENSON RETIRES AFTER 30 YEARS OF SERVICE AT MSU

Jack Henson retired in May after 30 years of service to Morehead State University. He came to the University in 1968 to serve as the first director of the Adron Doran University Center, a position he held for 17 ½ years before moving to full-time teaching. In recent years, he has been active in numerous business education organizations from the local to national levels. This fall he will work with MSU's newest teachers in the Kentucky Teacher Internship Program before retiring to do some traveling.

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ASHLAND, Ky.---Morehead State University's Ashland Small Business Development Center will offer a small business group consulting session for business owners and pre-business planners on Tuesday, July 27, beginning at 5:30 p.m. The two-hour session will be held in the G.B. Johnson Building, at 1401 Winchester Avenue in Ashland.

Kimberly Jenkins, general management consultant for MSU's Ashland SBDC, will lead the session. Topics will vary in accordance to the requests of those in attendance and likely will include start-up procedures, license and permit requirements, insurance needs, sources of financing, and loan requirements.

The event is free and open to the public. Pre-registration is necessary due to limited seating. Additional information is available by calling (606) 329-8011.

All training programs sponsored or co-sponsored by the SBDC are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin. Special arrangements for the disabled will be made if requested in advance.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.—Two new officers have been named for the Morehead State University Foundation, Inc.

Dr. William J. Higginbotham, special assistant to MSU President Ronald G. Eaglin for development and alumni relations, is the Foundation's new chief executive officer. W. Porter Dailey, MSU's vice president for administration and fiscal services, now is the treasurer.

Dr. Higginbotham succeeded Keith Kappes, MSU's vice president for university relations, who served as the Foundation's CEO for six years. Dailey replaced Lisa Browning of Mt. Sterling who held the position for 11 years.

Incorporated in 1979 as a non-profit corporation, the MSU Foundation receives and administers the University's public and private gift assets which are valued in excess of \$8 million. The Foundation is a tax-exempt corporation organized for educational purposes under Section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code. The Foundation is governed by a 25-member Board of Trustees.

Additional information is available from Dr. Higginbotham at (606) 783-2033.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---There will be plenty of "Rah, Rah, Rah" on the Morehead State University campus when junior and senior high school cheerleaders attend a summer camp Friday through Sunday, July 30-Aug. 1.

Participants will learn new cheers, chants, sidelines, dances, jumps and band dances as well as several "fun" dances and partner stunts/pyramids.

The camp, sponsored by Eastern Cheerleaders Association (ECA), will emphasize crowd motivation and involvement. Each squad will receive individual assistance from an ECA personal instructor.

Ribbons and spirit mini-megs will be awarded daily.

Pre-registration is necessary and may be made by calling (800) 940-4ECA (4322).

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University will host a summer dance camp for junior and senior high school dance teams from Friday, July 30, to Sunday, Aug. 1.

The camp, sponsored by Eastern Dance Association (EDA), will include several junior and senior high school dance teams from the area. Beginner, intermediate and advanced classes will enable every age and ability group to learn. Workshops on team building, leadership and goal setting will be offered.

Pre-registration is necessary. Additional information is available from EDA at PO Box 475, South Hill, Va., or by calling (800) 940-4322.

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DR. FITZGERALD TAKES THE OATH OF OFFICE

Dr. Lynne Fitzgerald of Morehead was sworn in recently as the new faculty member of Morehead State University's Board of Regents. Administering the oath was Jon Woodall, legal counsel with the firm of McBrayer, McGinnis, Leslie and Kirkland. Dr. Fitzgerald, professor of health, physical education and recreation, will serve a two-year term.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---William H. (Bill) Redwine, former director of Alumni Relations and Development, is now director of auxiliary services at Morehead State University.

Primarily responsible for the University Bookstore, Redwine also supervises operations of the University's contract food services and other auxiliary services that are self-operated by the University, including vending, concessions, laundry, student card access and the post office.

In his new position since November, Redwine already has begun extensive plans for developing the University's auxiliary services, beginning with the bookstore. "We want to focus on developing a higher profile outside the Adron Doran University Center and on providing new services," he said. "We've added a fax service and a UPS shipping counter which saves customers a pick-up fee. We would like to do the same with FedEx. We hope to add a same-day copy service for student and faculty personal use."

Redwine also is developing the services associated with the bookstore's Web page. "We want the web page not only to advertise clothing and other merchandise in the store, but also to offer students easier access to textbooks," he said. "We would like to connect to other University areas through the web so that when students receive their printed class schedules, the required texts for those classes might also appear on the print-out. In the future, faculty might be able to select texts online and eliminate multiple request forms, and students might be able to purchase their textbooks online."

In the future, he hopes to further develop the University's vending services. "We are experimenting with some new vending concepts," he said. "For example, OreIda has developed a french fry vending machine that cooks fries in 45 seconds using superheated air, so they're actually healthy. We will install our first machine in Lappin Hall's vending area and see how it works there. Then we might place other machines across campus if we find it's successful."

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Redwine
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Since taking over his new job, Redwine has established two retail outlets for MSU merchandise in the Ashland area. "We have consignment deals with Norman's Locker Room and Ashland Sporting Goods to sell our merchandise. We would like to expand this concept to include the Big Sandy area, West Liberty, Pikeville and Lexington through local businesses," he said.

Originally from Elliott County, Redwine has served the University since 1981, beginning as a University development officer, then moving to director of development, then to director of alumni relations, and finally to director of alumni relations and development.

He and his wife, Susette Redwine, MSU university center programs and special events coordinator, are parents of two children, Brett, 16, and Deveney, 3.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Dr. Beverly McCormick, assistant vice president for retention, was one of the more than 250 educators attending the annual conference of the Real Estate Educators Association (REEA) in Pittsburgh, June 3-5.

Dr. McCormick, who is currently president of REEA, described the annual meeting as “the ultimate source of professional development for real estate educators from across the continent and beyond.”

The conference featured special education sessions for real estate educators, authors, regulators and school owners. Attendees also had the opportunity to attend sessions designed to improve expertise in classroom instruction.

REEA is composed of full- and part-time educators from almost every real estate education delivery system: college and university, community college, proprietary school, regulatory agency, consultant, association, speaker, trainer and research center. “This conference served to sharpen skills, while providing up-to-the-moment industry information,” Dr. McCormick said. “We believe the key to competent, high-quality real estate service is professional, high-quality real estate education.”

Headquartered in Longwood, Fla., REEA is a not-for-profit association with a membership of more than 1,200 in the United States, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Darin Blackburn is the university center and conference services manager in the Office of Student Activities at Morehead State University. A former graduate assistant at the Adron Doran University Center (ADUC), he replaced his former supervisor, Clyde James, who retired after 30 years of service to the University.

In his current position, Blackburn coordinates the day-to-day activities for the university center and is responsible for the scheduling of most facilities on campus, including the university center. "ADUC is like the central nervous system of MSU," he said. "The building is continually in use, not only by those at the University but also by groups in the community. We schedule everything from high school proms to club meetings to wedding receptions here."

A native of Elkhorn City, Blackburn completed his bachelor's degree in communications and marketing at MSU in 1991 and his master's degree in communications management at the University of Kentucky in 1993.

He also studied theatre at Columbia University then moved to New York City where he worked as an actor in theatre and commercials and as a model in print advertising. "I had a great time in New York, but I missed home. It's a different atmosphere there. I missed the people here," he said.

After moving back to Kentucky, he served as the artistic director for the Pike County Performing Arts School and as the manager of the Lexington Country Club.

Since his return to Morehead, Blackburn has become actively involved with the Morehead Theatre Guild and directed its production of "The Grass Harp." In addition, he serves on the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity alumni board where he works with brotherhood development, and is an American Cancer Society volunteer.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Students in Morehead State University's chapter of Phi Beta Lambda (PBL) brought home four awards from 1999 PBL National Leadership Conference held recently in Chicago. Nearly 1,600 students competed in various chapter, team and individual events.

Representing MSU were:

*Jason Robbins, an **East Bernstadt** senior, won first place in Parliamentary Procedure.

The Business Decision Making Team won second place. Team members were Susan Arnold, a **Mt. Sterling** junior; Rob Lymangrover, a **West Chester, Ohio**, junior; and Holly Merrell, a **Florence** junior.

Randi Jo Sturgill, an **Ashland** junior, won sixth place in the Ms. Future Business Teacher event.

Neal Purvis, a **Salt Lick** freshman, won 10th place in Accounting II.

Rob Nester, **Jeffersonville** freshman, will serve as the Kentucky state reporter for 1999-2000.

Participants earned the privilege to attend the national conference by winning events at the state conference. PBL is a national organization for business students. Dr. Randall McCoy, assistant professor of CIS, is the chapter's adviser.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Darlene Gee, a fourth grade Title I resource teacher at Olive Hill Elementary School in the Carter County school system, was the recipient of first Morehead State University/Kentucky Educational Development Corporation Teacher Leadership Award.

The \$1,000 scholarship to MSU was given in recognition of Gee's leadership abilities, working not only with Olive Hill Elementary School but also with district-wide programs that benefit all Carter County students.

A two-time graduate of Morehead State University, Gee earned a bachelor's degree in 1981 and her Rank I in elementary education in 1988. She is currently working on a supervision of instruction and principalship certification. She will use her scholarship to continue her education.

Gee began her career as a substitute teacher in 1980. Two years later, she was a full-time, third grade teacher at Olive Hill Elementary School. In grades three through six, she teaches a variety of subjects and utilizes innovative techniques that challenge children to learn.

Gee also has served as writing portfolio cluster leader, writing portfolio analysis session leader, cheerleading sponsor, head academic coach and PTA president-elect and treasurer. She has presented sessions at various professional development meetings within the school district, served as extended school coordinator for six years and facilitated numerous other academic and extracurricular activities.

Her "Writing Fiesta Week" provided a festive environment for writing across the curriculum and involved guest speakers and participants from throughout the community.

In recommending Gee for the award, the support materials described her as possessing many talents. "She leads by setting high standards and providing tremendous energy in carrying out events," was stated in one letter. Another nomination said "Her enthusiasm, her innovation and her genuine concern for quality education is exemplary."

This is the first year KEDC and MSU have honored a teacher. The award and scholarship will be given annually to an outstanding teacher.

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ASHLAND, Ky.---Morehead State University's Ashland Small Business Development Center will offer a workshop on income tax for small business owners on Wednesday, Aug. 4.

The session, which will be held at MSU's Extended Campus Center, 1401 Winchester Avenue in Ashland, will run from 1 to 3:30 p.m. There is no charge but pre-registration is necessary because of limited seating.

Elaine Perkins of the Internal Revenue Service will be the speaker for the workshop. Among the topics for discussion are the types of required forms and schedules, deadlines and tax filing procedures. A question and answer session will be included.

All training programs, sponsored or co-sponsored by SBDC are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin. Special arrangements for the disabled will be made if requested in advance.

Additional information and registration are available by calling (606) 329-8011.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.--- Morehead State University is gearing up for the fall semester with new programs, a degree that will be offered totally online and a variety of entertainment and sports-related activities for students' enjoyment.

Registration and business days for the upcoming term will be held on campus Aug. 18-20. All classes, including evening and off-campus, begin on Monday, Aug. 23.

The first classes of the Institute of Regional Analysis and Public Policy (IRAPP), MSU's new program of distinction, are listed in the fall schedule. Dr. David Rudy, dean of IRAPP, will be available to assist students who wish to enter this multi-disciplinary program of study. Options for undergraduate degrees with an emphasis in regional analysis are available in environmental science, geography, government, social work and sociology. Graduate programs in regional analysis are available in biology and sociology.

Beginning with the fall semester, MSU will become the first institution in the state to offer a degree program totally online. Students may complete a Master of Business Administration (MBA) degree via the Internet. All courses in the degree offering will be delivered through distance learning technology, including compressed video and the Internet delivery system. Students may take classes at times that fit their lifestyle.

Compiling data for a research paper may take less effort as the Camden-Carroll Library is now linked to the Commonwealth Virtual University/Library which allows users to research other linked libraries from the MSU campus. A more comprehensive data search may be accomplished in less time.

To assist new students in getting off on the right track, the Office of Student Development will host an orientation program beginning Monday, Aug. 16. Among the topics for discussion are financial aid, working on campus, fee paying and activating meal cards. Dr. Will Keim, motivational speaker and former college administrator, will discuss stumbling blocks that affect college success in his "Welcome to the Time of Your Life II" presentation. Also scheduled to speak is Dr. Chris Kilmartin, writer and performer and an associate professor of psychology at Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg, Va.

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Before the classes begin, students are invited to a street dance and ice-cream social on the plaza in front of the President's Home from 8 to 11 p.m. on Aug. 22. This activity is sponsored by MSU President and Mrs. Ronald G. Eaglin and the Student Government Association.

A variety of activities, sponsored by SGA and the Student Activities Council, will welcome students to the campus. On the first day that students move into residence halls, Aug. 16, a block party will run from 8 to 11 p.m. Other events scheduled for the fall term are a visit from roving artists Ken Shultz and Ken Sprano. The "Friday Night at the Movies" at the University Cinema is free to MSU students with a valid I.D. card. Hypnotist Tom Deluca will kick-off the entertainment on Aug. 25 with other entertainers scheduled throughout the semester: Buzz Sutherland, Sept. 15; ventriloquist Dan Horn Sept. 24; comedian Mitch Fatel, Sept. 30; lecturer Tim Augustine, Oct. 26; comedienne Annie McKnight, Nov. 10.

Breckinridge Hall, which housed the Department of Communications, has been closed for renovations and the department's offices relocated to Waterfield Hall. While the work is being completed, speech classes will be held in Lappin Hall. Two classrooms and a lab will be available in Radar Hall for journalism classes. Audio and video classes will be held in Ginger Hall along with three writing classes. All new locations are listed in the fall schedule of classes directory. Additional information is available by calling the department at (606) 783-2134.

With the second phase of the Wellness Center opening this summer, students have more choices of ways to keep in shape. The new portion includes three indoor tennis courts, an indoor track and an aerobic room. Students also have access to a variety of exercise equipment at the center.

Several MSU students will become performers when they participate in theatre productions or music recitals that are free to all students with a valid I.D. card. Among the plays being offered are "Hotel Paradiso," Oct. 14-16; "Rashomon," Nov. 16-21; "Electra," Feb. 22-27; "Peter Pan," March 30-31.

Also this season will be Second Stage Season, student-directed productions that provide stimulating, creative experiences for everyone while raising money for theatre scholarships. The line-up includes "An Evening of One-Act Plays," Kibbey Theatre, Sept. 28-30; "The Balcony," Button Auditorium, Dec. 9-11, and "Picasso at the Lapin Agile," Kibbey Theatre in April.

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Back to School

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During the academic year there will be competitions sports teams. MSU's football Eagles will face the first challenger at home on Sept. 2; the Eagle soccer team begins its second season with home games beginning in late August, and the Eagles and Lady Eagles basketball team will open the season in November with exhibition games. Volleyball starts with an alumni match on Aug. 28 and the first home game set for Sept. 1.

Students who are interested in getting involved in campus life have many choices available, including Greek organizations, Student Activities Council, Student Government Association, Residence Hall Association and a host of clubs and academic societies.

When the semester is in full swing, the University will host Family Weekend, Sept. 11-13, for students and their families. Homecoming Weekend, Oct. 16-18, will see the return of many of the University's 42,000 alumni making the trek back to campus.

If you would like to be part of MSU's fall schedule and have not already registered, the Office of Admissions will provide all the details. Additional information is available by calling (606) 783-2000 or 1-800-585-6781.

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MSU HOSTS SOAR

Morehead State University held Student Orientation, Advising and Registration (SOAR) sessions during the summer months for prospective students and their parents. Advisers were on hand to assist students in selecting a schedule for the fall semester. Anna Hardimon, left, of Flemingsburg, talked with Cheryl Million, an admissions counselor, during one of the sessions held in the Adron Doran University Center.

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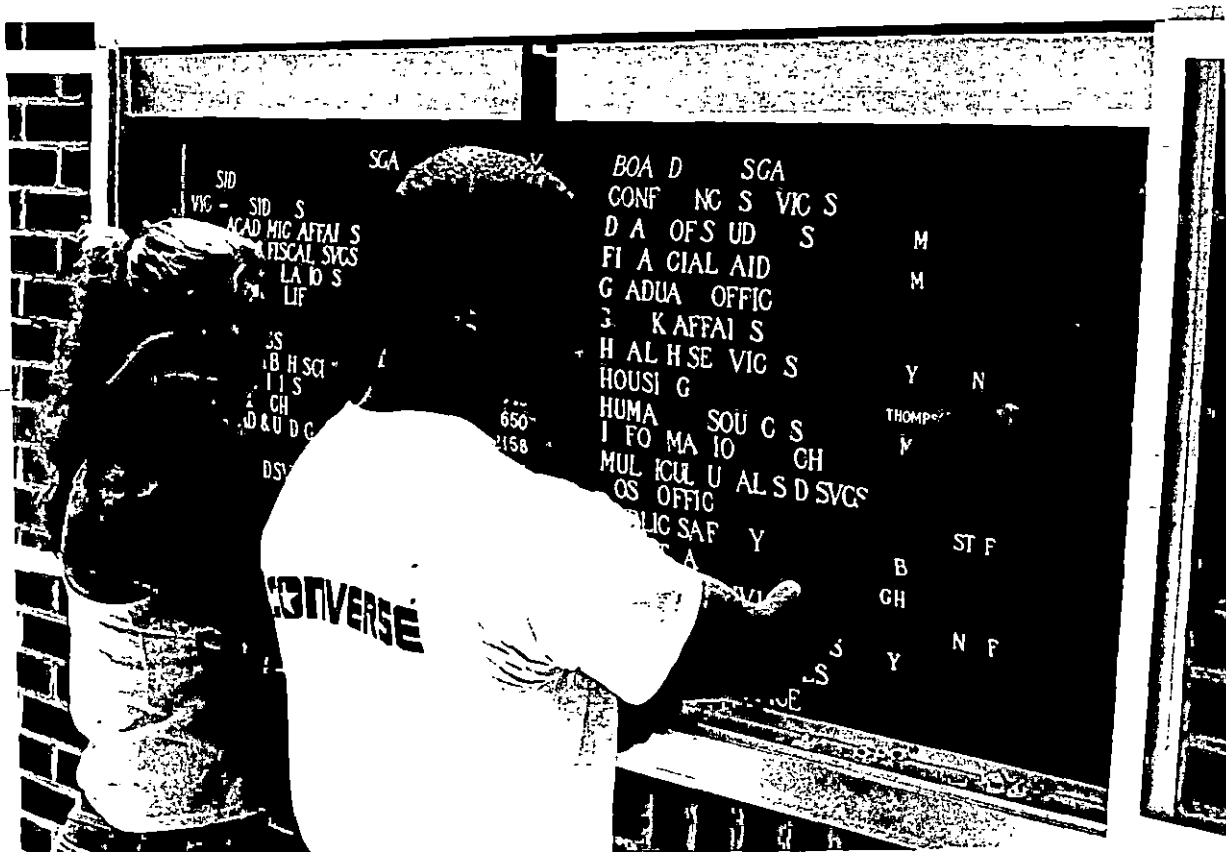
MSU PREPARES FOR FALL SEMESTER

Morehead State University is preparing for the fall semester of classes which begins Wednesday, Aug. 18, with business days and registration. Classes begin Monday, Aug. 23. Rachel Cornwell, left, a Paducah senior, assisted Nic Wilson, a Somerset sophomore, in posting items on the campus directory, located near the Adron Doran University Center.

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MSU STUDENTS GAIN REAL WORLD EXPERIENCE

Students enrolled in a senior speech communication class at Morehead State University and representatives from C. Roger Lewis Agency, Inc., joined forces to develop a marketing plan for a new subdivision near Morehead. After researching the project and devising a preliminary plan, the students presented their proposal to the land owner, David Kelley of Atlanta, Ga., and Cynthia Elam, sales associate at the Lewis Agency, seated at left. Among those participating, (clockwise from top), under the direction of Dr. Robert Frank, MSU assistant professor of speech, were David Adkins of Clearfield, John Cox of Medford, Ore., Keith McCormick of Morehead, Billy Hamilton of Morehead and Jody Streible of Hodgenville.

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CARTER COUNTY TEACHER AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Through the combined efforts of a Morehead State University speech communication class and a local real estate agency, a new subdivision on Cranston Road near Morehead, is now being called Whispering Brook Estates.

Dr. Robert Frank, MSU assistant professor of speech, was teaching a senior seminar in speech communication at the University when Cynthia Elam, a sales associate at the C. Roger Lewis Agency, mentioned the new subdivision being developed and the fact that it had not been named. Dr. Frank saw this as an opportunity to give his students some "real-world" experience.

The MSU students, enrolled in his class, who became involved in the project were:

*David Adkins of **Clearfield**, the son of Nyoka Adkins.

*Joshua Cox of **Medford, Ore.**, the son of Steve Cox.

*Billy Hamilton of **Morehead**, the son of William Hamilton

*Keith McCormick of **Morehead**, the son of Dr. Beverly and Keith McCormick.

*Jody Streible of **Hodgenville**, the son of Charlene Gaddie.

Working with the real estate agency and landowner, David Kelley of Atlanta, Ga., the students spent three weeks studying the site and preparing a list of potential names for the subdivision and its four streets. They also designed logos that could be used for marketing the property.

"The owner of the property, Mr. Kelley, was so excited about the class working on this project that he flew up from Atlanta to meet with them at the site," Dr. Frank said. "Three weeks later, when they had completed their lists of suggested name combinations, he made a return trip to allow the students to present the proposal to him."

After deciding on Whispering Brook Estates, the students proposed three names for the streets: Brookside Drive, Whispering Way and Sunny Brook Drive. The project also involved researching each name to find out if it was already in use at another location, the professor noted.

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Dr. Frank was pleased with the outcome of the group's effort. "The project helped the students put theory into practice. It also gave them a glimpse of what they can do with a degree in speech communication," he said. "There are a number of business-related options for the degree, including human resources, conflict resolution, group problem solving, public relations, marketing, law and health communication."

"The class worked hard and did an outstanding job," said Elam, who helped coordinate the project. "It was enjoyable to see the work they put into the project and the processes they used to complete the mission."

"The students took the project very seriously, and they recognized the benefits of participating," Dr. Frank said. "The greatest benefit, though, was that they learned to work with other people to solve problems."

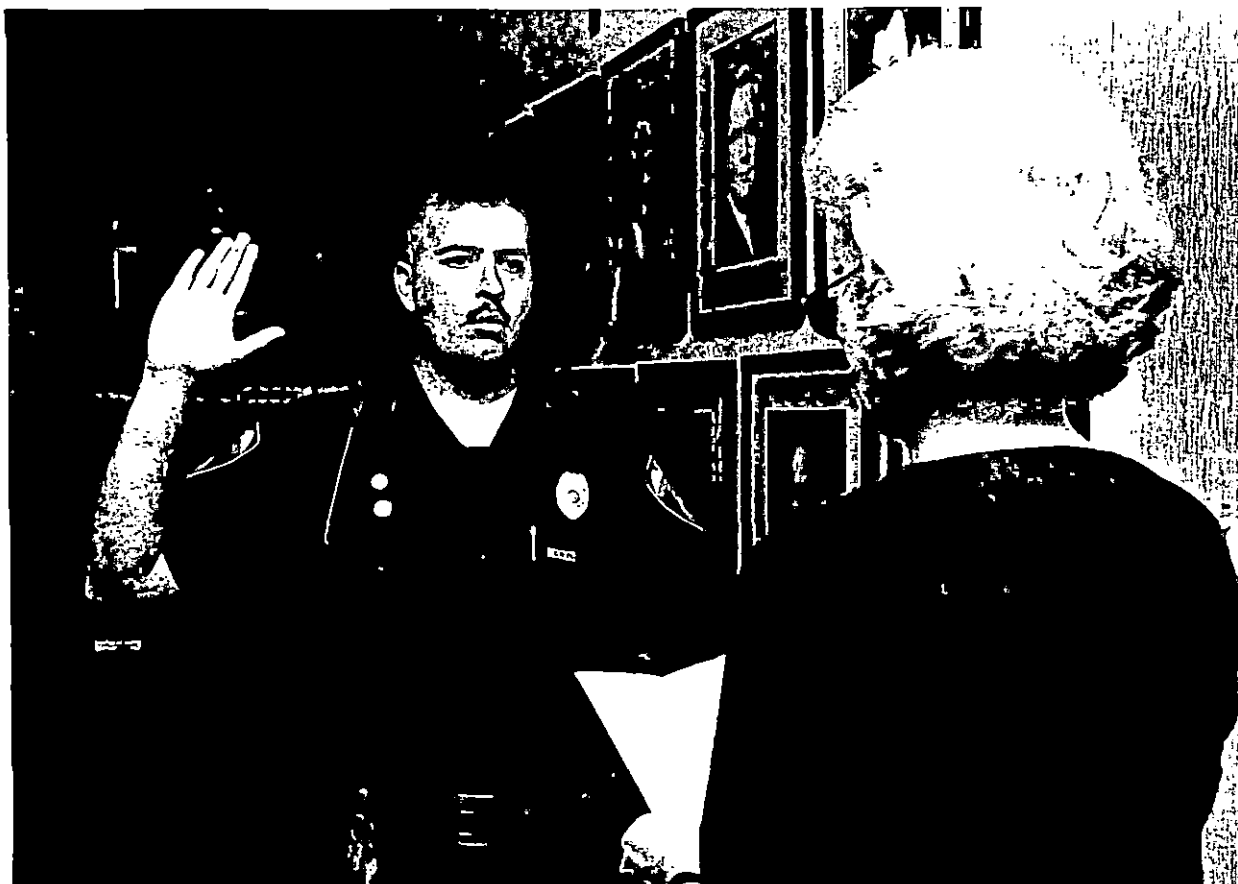
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NEW PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER AT MSU

Matt Salley, 25, of Carter County, was recently sworn in as a police officer with Morehead State University's Office of Public Safety. The oath of office was administered by Carol Johnson, administrative assistant to MSU President Ronald G. Eaglin. The son of Shirley Salley of Grayson and a graduate of East Carter High School, Salley served two years in the Kentucky Army National Guard before going on active duty with the U.S. Army where he was stationed in Texas and Korea during his three-year tour of duty. He is a 1998 graduate of the Police Basic Training Course at the Department of Criminal Justice Training Academy in Richmond. Before joining MSU's police force, he worked as a ranger at Grayson Lake State Park.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Registration for Morehead State University's fall 1999 semester is scheduled for Aug. 18-20, with the first day designated as a business day only.

On Wednesday, Aug. 18, advance scheduled freshman and transfer students may pay tuition/fees in the Crager Room, Adron Doran University Center, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Class schedules will not be processed on that day.

On Thursday and Friday, Aug. 19 and 20, students will develop class schedules and make schedule adjustments in their academic departments. Those who have not declared a major will schedule their classes in 233 Allie Young Hall.

Undergraduate students, who have not previously been admitted or were not enrolled this spring or during either summer term, will begin the registration process at the Admissions Office, 301 Howell-McDowell. Graduate students will begin at 701 Ginger Hall.

Sophomores and juniors, who have advance registered, may pay tuition/fees on Aug. 19 in the Crager Room from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Students who did not register for classes in advance will be admitted to the payment area from 4 to 6 p.m.

On Friday, Aug. 20, advance registered seniors and graduate students may complete the financial portion of the registration process in the Crager Room from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., while those who did not advance register will be admitted from 4 to 6 p.m.

Students are scheduled to attend registration alphabetically by last name, as published in the class directory.

Students at MSU's Ashland Area, Big Sandy and Licking Valley Extended Campus Centers as well as those at the Appalachian Graduate Consortium in Pikeville may register from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday, Aug. 19-20. In Jackson, the hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Aug. 19, and 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Aug. 20.

Registration for classes at the Mason County High School Distance Learning classroom in Maysville, McNabb Middle School in Mt. Sterling and Winburn Middle School in Whitesburg will be held only on Thursday, Aug. 19, from 4 to 6 p.m.. Students enrolling in any of the 46 distance learning courses offered at other regional sites may register at the main campus or at the nearest extended campus center.

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Fall Registration
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All MSU classes, including evening and off-campus, begin on Monday, Aug. 23. At that time schedule adjustments will be processed without charge in the student's major department. Effective Aug. 30, drop-adds will be processed in the Office of the Registrar, 201 Ginger Hall, with the \$10 fee in effect.

Course directories with a complete list of classes and registration information are available from the Registrar's Office. Additional information is available by calling (606) 783-2008.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---ESPN analyst and former Morehead State University quarterback Mike Gottfried returned to the campus to share with students the many facets of the sports profession.

"I believe you are your experiences and I had good experiences here at MSU," Gottfried said. "I had good teachers and coaches while I was a student here; they prepared me for life." He graduated in 1966 with a Bachelor of Arts degree and earned a master's degree in education in 1973.

Gottfried spoke at a Sports Administration Summer Seminar Class for graduate students, directed by Dr. Reginald Overton, assistant professor of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. Two of Gottfried's former professors of HPER, Dr. Charles Thompson and Dr. Earl Bentley, were present for the seminar.

"I went to a Catholic grade school and when I was in the fifth grade the nuns asked the class what we wanted to be when we grew up. Most of the students didn't know or had never thought about it. But, I did. I knew in the fifth grade that I wanted to be a football coach," Gottfried said.

Even though he was focused on his goal throughout most of his life, Gottfried nearly let his fears deter him when he first came to MSU. "I was never so scared in my life as when my mother and brother, who had driven me down from Ohio, got in the car to leave. As I watched them disappear I thought to myself, 'I really need to be in that car. I would feel a whole lot better.'

"But that night, I set a goal. I told myself that I would make it through the first day of practice and then I could go home," he said. "Practice wasn't so bad. I set another goal. I would make it through four games. I did. Then another goal--I would get off that bench. I did. Then I decided I would make the travel team. I did." Gottfried said that after reaching those first goals he continued to improve and went on to lead the team in passing for four straight years.

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After graduating he began his coaching career at Roseville High School in Ohio. From there, he moved to St. Paul High School, also in Ohio, before returning to MSU as an assistant coach in 1971-1972. For more than a decade, he coached at various institutions including Youngstown State, the University of Cincinnati, the University of Arizona, Murray State University, the University of Kansas and the University of Pittsburgh.

Although it was meant to be a job for a lifetime, Gottfried's coaching career is on hold. He joined ESPN in 1990 as a college football analyst on "Saturday Primetime" telecasts and worked from 1990 to 1998 on "Thursday Night Game of the Week." This season he will move to the studio for "The Weekend Kickoff Show."

From his home in Alabama, Gottfried travels extensively during the football season and during the remainder of the year, as a motivational speaker.

While he is enjoying his work with ESPN and the speaking engagements across the country, Gottfried hopes to return to coaching one day. "In the fall, I miss the team, the smell of the grass, the sound of the band. I know it is football season and I need to be back on the field," he said. "I have faith in God. He will point me in the right direction."

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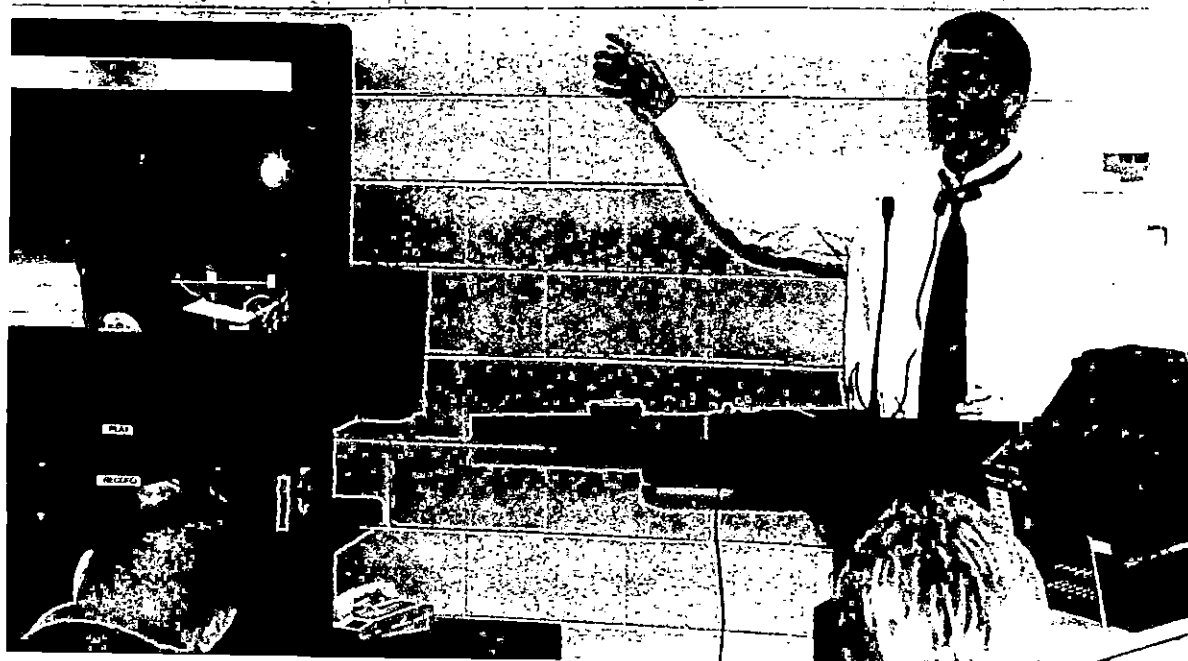
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MSU GRADUATE SPEAKS ON CAMPUS

Morehead State University alumnus and ESPN analyst Mike Gottfried was a guest speaker for a Sports Administration Summer Seminar class on the campus recently. The class, which is part of MSU's distance learning program, was simulcast to the Big Sandy Extended Campus Center in Prestonsburg and to Eastern Kentucky University. Through compressed video, students at those locations could participate in the seminar by listening to and interacting with the speaker. The Sports Administration program is a collaborative effort of MSU and ECU. Dr. Reginald Overton, assistant professor of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, is the instructor of the Sports Administration Summer Seminar for graduate students and coordinated the visit. Gottfried, a former MSU quarterback, coached football for 12 years, including a stint as an assistant coach at MSU, before moving to the sports network in 1990.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University's Radiologic Technology Program recently held pinning ceremonies for those who have completed the program. Each student received a pin symbolic of achievement.

Among the recipients was Leslie Gail Dennis of **Somerville, Ohio**. She was recognized as graduating with distinction, an honor afforded to students maintaining a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale.

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Among the recipients were two students from **Mt. Sterling**: Brady Mark Dale and Lisa K. King.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University's Radiologic Technology Program recently held pinning ceremonies for those who have completed the program. Each student received a pin symbolic of achievement.

Among the recipients were two students from **West Liberty**: Kelly Ray Gilliam and April Dawn May.

Gilliam was recognized as graduating with distinction, an honor afforded to students maintaining a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale. She was also the recipient of the RT Academic Achievement Award for the highest grade point average in RT courses.

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Among the recipients was Bradley Ray Evans of **Grethel**. He was recognized as graduating with distinction, an honor afforded to students maintaining a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale.

Evans also received the RT Academic Achievement Award, for the highest grade point average in RT courses.

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Among the recipients were three students from Pike County: Melanie De' Ann Burklo of **Mouthcard**, Robert Boyce Evans of **Sidney** and Stephanie Murphy of **Pinsonfork**.

Evans was recognized as graduating with distinction, an honor afforded to students who maintain a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale.

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Among the recipients were two students from Martin County: Jason Damron Kirk of **Inez** and Timmy Nichols of **Pilgrim**.

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Among the recipients was Crystal L. Livingood of **Moorefield**.

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Among the recipients was Melanie D. Lyons of **Greenup**.

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Among the recipients were two students from Bath County: Mary K. Riddle of **Owingsville** and Tricia L. Stacy of **Sharpsburg**.

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Among the recipients was Douglas Mackie Spears of **Paintsville**. He was honored as graduating with distinction, an honor afforded to students maintaining a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale.

Spears was also the recipient of the RT Academic Achievement Award for the highest grade point average in RT courses and the MSU Overall Academic Achievement Award for the highest overall MSU grade point average within the department.

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Among the recipients was Teresa A. Truesdell-Vance of **Means**. She was recognized as graduating with distinction, an honor afforded to students maintaining a cumulative MSU grade point average of 3.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Loretta B. Lykins, who has worked in the Office of the Registrar at Morehead State University for 12 years, has assumed the position of registrar, effective July 1.

She replaces Gene Ranvier who left the University to assume the position of director of student services with the Kentucky Commonwealth Virtual University (KCVU).

"We are very pleased that Ms. Lykins has agreed to serve in this role that is so important to the University," said Dr. Michael R. Moore, executive vice president for academic affairs, in making the announcement. "While we will miss Mr. Ranvier, we certainly wish him well in his new endeavor."

Before joining MSU's staff in 1987, Lykins had been at Lees College in Jackson for 17 years where she served as registrar for 12 years. During this time, she also served as an assistant professor of English at Lees for five years and as MSU's off-campus coordinator at the Jackson Center for three years.

Since coming to MSU, Lykins has worked closely on several projects that have provided technological advances for students. She was a member of the group responsible for developing the electronic degree audit advising system and assisted in the programming and installation of a state of the art optical disk scanning and retrieval system for student records.

She has written articles for publication and, along with Ranvier, made presentations on computer-assisted advising and degree exploration at MSU.

A two-time graduate of MSU, Lykins earned a bachelor's degree in English teaching in 1972 and the master's degree in administration in 1981. She completed additional graduate work in English from MSU and the University of Kentucky where she was named a James Still Fellow for summer study in English-Writing Across the Curriculum in 1984.

A member of several professional organizations, Lykins is active in the American, Southern and Kentucky Association of Collegiate Registrar's and Admissions Officers and the Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education Block Transfer Committee. She also serves as MSU's contact with the KCVU and as a member of MSU's distance learning committee and graduate curriculum committee.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MOREHEAD, Ky.---To help new students adjust to the campus, Morehead State University will host Dr. Chris Kilmartin on Tuesday, Aug. 17. He will present his one-man show, "Crimes Against Nature," a humorous look at what it means to be male in today's world.

In an 80-minute solo performance, the actor will use personal accounts to take the audience through his childhood, adolescence and young manhood, highlighting some of the demands that society places on males. Using humor and amusing detail, he will discuss sports, puberty, communications and girlfriends as it relates to events in his life.

Dr. Kilmartin, an associate professor of psychology at Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg, Va., speaks frequently on sexual assault, sexual harassment, gender and diversity. He is the author of "The Masculine Self," considered the most comprehensive psychology of men text in existence, and the co-author of the forthcoming book "The Pain Behind the Mask: Origins, Consequences, and Remedies for Masculine Depression."

A professional stand-up comedian since 1995, Dr. Kilmartin performed as an opening act for many nationally known entertainers such as Richard Lewis, Paula Poundstone, Martin Lawrence, George Miller and Norm MacDonald. A newcomer as a motivational speaker, he played the role of the Narrator in the Stephen Sondheim musical, "Into the Woods," in 1995.

The presentation is part of the orientation program for MSU 101 participants. Additional information is available from Madonna Weathers, director of student development, at (606) 783-2024.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University's Department of Art will display works by artists John Hegener and Barbara Shilo as its first show for the fall term.

The exhibit will run from Aug. 16-Sept. 10 in the main gallery of the Claypool-Young Art Building. The public is invited to meet the artists at a reception on Wednesday, Aug. 25, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the gallery. Also that day, Hegener will give a lecture on his work, beginning at 2 p.m.

Hegener, a stone sculptor from Cincinnati, does a portion of his works with Indiana limestone. A former painter, he has studied at Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts in Gatlinburg, Tenn., and the John C. Campbell Folk School in Brasstown, N.C. He earned a B.F.A. degree in painting from the University of Cincinnati.

With works in numerous private collections, Hegener has exhibited in group exhibitions in Ohio, Tennessee and Kentucky. He is the recipient of several juried awards as well as the Viewpoint Award from the Cincinnati Artist Club and an honorable mention in Small Works Juried Invitational from BASE Art Gallery in Cincinnati.

Shilo, who was born in Germany and now lives in Forestville, Calif., creates three-dimensional works using a variety of mediums, including fabrics. She has studied with the Art Students League and the New School for Social Research in New York. She earned a B.A. degree from New York University.

A frequent participant in two- three- and four-person exhibitions, she has shown her work in galleries across the country, from Washington to Florida. Shilo is the recipient of numerous awards including the Grand Prize in Cooperstown (N.Y.) National, Winsor Newton Award from Mamaroneck (N.Y.) Artists Guild and Award of Merit in Works on Paper '95 Koret Gallery in Palo Alto, Calif.

Gallery hours are 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. weekdays. There is no charge for viewing. Additional information is available by calling Jennifer Hart, gallery coordinator, at (606) 783 5446.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ASHLAND, Ky.---Morehead State University's Ashland Small Business Development Center will host a marketing and public relations workshop on Wednesday, Aug. 11.

The session, which begins at 1 p.m., will be held at MSU's Ashland Extended Campus Center, 1401 Winchester Avenue in Ashland.

Bob Owen, president of Owen Communications, will be the guest speaker for the two-hour workshop. Among the topics for discussion will be determining the best method of advertising for your business, innovative marketing and public relations techniques and how to retain new customers while retaining current ones. A question and answer session will be included.

Though the program is free and open to the public, pre-registration is necessary due to limited seating.

All SBDC training programs, partially funded by the U.S. Small Business Administration, are available without regard to race, color, creed or national origin. Special arrangements will be made for the disabled when requested in advance.

Additional information and registration are available by calling (606) 329-8011.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MOREHEAD, Ky.---Last year, Morehead State University raised nearly \$91,000 in its first annual, campus-wide faculty and staff fundraising initiative officially known as the "Campus Giving Campaign." During a two-month period, 40 volunteer MSU employees accepted the money in pledges and gifts by utilizing the theme "One Eagle at a Time." The effort resulted in \$9,592 being contributed to a new, unrestricted fund known as the "Campus Partnership Fund."

"The fund will be used to provide us, as members of the campus community, a new means to help ourselves," said Dr. Michael Seelig, executive assistant to the president and campaign chairperson.

The money collected has been matched by the MSU Foundation, Inc., 50 cents to the dollar, providing \$14,388 available for distribution. A Board of Stewards, comprised of nine members elected from faculty and staff contributors to the fund, governs the distribution of monies within the account.

"The board recently decided to distribute 75 percent of the total amount by means of grants awarded at unit levels (e.g., division, college, department, program, organization) to promote business ventures, cost reduction or other activities that would benefit the unit and/or University," said Mike Walters, associate vice president of fiscal services and board president.

Grant application packets have been distributed to all unit heads on campus with Sept. 10 as the deadline for submission. Proposals will be reviewed by the Board and announcement of the awards, in increments of \$250 up to \$3,000, will be made in late September.

The board is hopeful that contributions made to the fund will increase each year, providing greater opportunities to promote campus-wide initiatives benefiting faculty, staff and students. "This innovative approach to partnering transcends campus boundaries," Dr. Seelig said. "We are all truly helping each other."

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ASHLAND, Ky.---Morehead State University and the Kentucky Motorcycle Safety Program will offer courses for beginners and experienced riders again this fall at the Ashland Area Extended Campus Center in Ashland.

Classes for the beginner are slated for Aug. 20-22, Sept. 10-12, and Oct. 8-10. The cost is \$75.

The advanced class, which is a good refresher course, will be offered Nov. 13. The cost is \$50.

Both courses, which are approved by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation, may help riders gain insurance discounts. The beginning rider also may qualify to waive the License Skill Test after completing the course.

Details on the course and registration information are available by calling the Center at (606) 327-1777 or 1-800-648-5370.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ASHLAND, Ky.---It's not too late to apply for admission or register for classes for the fall semester at Morehead State University's Ashland Area Extended Campus Center.

Registration for those who have not advance registered is scheduled for Thursday and Friday, Aug. 19 and 20, at the Center, located at 1401 Winchester Avenue in Ashland. The hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

For students who have advance registered, fees may be paid on Wednesday, Aug. 18.

The Ashland Center is offering a number of classes including on-site courses as well as classes through compressed video and the Internet; classes in business, elementary education, nursing and MSU's online MBA.

Additional information is available by calling (606) 327-1777 or 1-800-648-5370.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Lonise P. Bias doesn't want other mothers to suffer the anguish she has experienced. That is why she is willing to speak about the tragedies in her life.

Bias is the mother of the late Len Bias, the University of Maryland basketball player who died in 1986 of drug-related causes two days after being drafted by the Boston Celtics. Another son, Jay, was murdered in a drive-by shooting at a local mall in 1990.

She is hopeful that by talking about the deaths of her sons, she will encourage other students and adults and prevent future tragedies. Her philosophy is that all young people are "reachable, teachable, loveable and savable."

A lecturer and consultant, Bias will visit the Morehead State University campus on Sunday, Aug. 22, to speak with the University's athletes. Her talk, which begins at 8 p.m. in Button Auditorium, also will focus on abuses of alcohol and other drugs.

In her message, Bias challenges those of all age groups to address the issues that must be faced in everyday life and to review their decision-making processes.

A former employee at the National Bank of Washington, Bias was educated in the public schools in Washington, D.C. She is a member of the African Methodist Episcopal Church where she has served as stewardess, missionary, youth adviser and choir member. She has spoken to statesmen, community and church organizations, the military and private institutions and made appearances on television shows including ESPN's Close up with Roy Firestone, Sally Jesse Rafael, the Hour of Power with Dr. Robert Schuller, the CBS Morning News and the 700 Club.

Bias, who was awarded an honorary doctorate of education from Anna Maria College outside Boston, Mass., in 1990, has received numerous awards including the Boston Herald Community Service Award, The International Women of Leadership Award, Sojourner Truth Award, Soya Humanitarian Award and The Giant Steps Parent Award.

The campus presentation is sponsored by the Department of Athletics' CHAMPS/Life Skills Program and MSU's Life Enhancement Office. Additional information is available by calling (606) 783-5248.

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SEPTEMBER HIGHLIGHTS AT MOREHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY

Aug. 16-Sept 10, Art Exhibit: Works by John Hegener and Barbara Shilo, main gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays; free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Aug. 23-Sept. 17, Art Exhibit: Photography by Patti Swartz, Strider Gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building; 8 a.m. 4 p.m., weekdays, free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Now-Sept. 26, Art Exhibit: "Rowan's Treasures," Kentucky Folk Art Center, Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sundays, 1-5 p.m. Admission is \$3 for those over 12; \$2 for seniors and groups, and free to KFAC members and MSU faculty and students. Additional information: (606) 783-2204.

Sept. 1, "AD 90, The Celebration of Dr. Adron Doran's 90th Birthday," Crager Room, Adron Doran University Center, noon. Reservation required. Additional information: (606) 783-2031.

Sept. 1, Soccer: MSU vs. Wright State, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 1, Volleyball: MSU vs. Marshall University, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Sept. 2, Football: MSU vs. Davidson College, Jayne Stadium, 7 p.m.; charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.

Sept. 4, Soccer: MSU vs. Youngstown State, Mahaney Soccer Field, 1 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 6, Labor Day; no classes or office hours.

Sept. 7-30, Kentucky Folk Art Center: "Reflections," Garland and Minnie Adkins Gallery; hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Saturday; 1-5 p.m., Sundays; admission charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2204.

Sept. 9, Sophomore recital: Jonathan Adkins, baritone, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 11, Soccer: MSU vs. Miami (Ohio), Mahaney Soccer Field, 3 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 12, Senior recital: Carrie Hegge, soprano, Duncan Recital Hall, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 15, Soccer: MSU vs. Northern Kentucky, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

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September Highlights

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Sept. 15, Comedian Buzz Sutherland, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

Sept. 17, MSU Board of Regents meeting, Riggle Room, Adron Doran University Center, time TBA. Additional information: (606) 783-2030.

Sept. 20-Oct. 22, Art Exhibit: Li Hu, main gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.; weekdays; free. Opening reception, Sept. 20, 7 p.m. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Sept. 20-Oct. 1, Graduate Show: Paul Hale, Strider Gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays; free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Sept. 21, Faculty recital: Jon Burgess, trumpet, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 24-25, Family Weekend, campus. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

Sept. 24, Volleyball: MSU vs. Tennessee-Martin, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Sept. 24, Ventriloquist Dan Horn, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

Sept. 25, Soccer: MSU vs. Eastern Illinois, Mahaney Soccer Field, noon, free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 25, Volleyball: MSU vs. Murray State University, Wetherby Gymnasium, 1 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Sept. 25, Football: MSU vs. Dayton, Jayne Stadium, 7 p.m., charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.

Sept. 28, Faculty Showcase Recital, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Sept. 28-30, Theatre: "An Evening of Three One-Act Plays," Kibbey Theatre, 8 p.m. \$3 admission fee. Additional information: (606) 783-2170.

Sept. 29, Soccer: MSU Kentucky Wesleyan, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Sept. 30, Comedian Mitch Fatel, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m., free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.

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Sept. 20-Oct. 1, Art Exhibit: Works by graduate student Paul Hale, Strider Gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., weekdays; free. Additional information: (606) 783-5446.

Oct. 3, Senior recital: Bryan Vallandingham, bassoon, Duncan Recital Hall, 5 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Oct. 5, Faculty recital: Michael Acord, clarinet, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Oct. 8, Soccer: MSU vs. Tennessee-Martin, Mahaney Soccer Field, 5 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Oct. 8, Volleyball: MSU vs. Middle Tennessee, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Oct. 9, Volleyball: MSU vs. Tennessee Tech, Wetherby Gymnasium, 2 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

Oct. 10, Soccer: MSU vs. Appalachian State, Mahaney Soccer Field, noon; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.

Oct. 14, Octubafest Faculty Recital, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m.; free. Stacy Baker, director. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Oct. 14-16, Theatre: "Hotel Paradiso," Button Auditorium, 8 p.m.; charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2170.

Oct. 15-17, Homecoming Weekend, campus. Additional information: (606) 783-2080.

Oct. 16, Football: MSU vs. Valparaiso, Jayne Stadium, 1:30 p.m.; charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.

Oct. 17, Senior recital: Mike Agee, saxophone, Duncan Recital Hall, 3 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

Oct. 18, Volleyball: MSU vs. Xavier, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.

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October Highlights
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- Oct. 19, MSU Music Faculty Chamber Recital, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.
- Oct. 21, Octubafest '99 MSU Tuba/Euphonium Ensemble, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.
- Oct. 22, Soccer: MSU vs. Middle Tennessee, Mahaney Soccer Field, 4 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.
- Oct. 23, Lady Eagle and Eagle Tennis: MSU vs. Indiana-Purdue Indianapolis, 8:30 a.m.; MSU vs. Xavier, 3:30 p.m., tennis courts, free. Additional information: (606) 783-5408.
- Oct. 26, Volleyball: MSU vs. Eastern Kentucky University, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.
- Oct. 26, Lecturer Tim Augustine, Riggle Room, Adron Doran University Center, 4 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.
- Oct. 27, Soccer: MSU vs. Indiana-Purdue Indianapolis, Mahaney Soccer Field, 4 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2589.
- Oct. 27, Comedian Frank Caliendo, Button Auditorium, 8 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2071.
- Oct. 28, Octubafest Guest Composer, "The Music Film of Todd Fiegel," Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.
- Oct. 29, Volleyball: MSU vs. Southeast Missouri, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.
- Oct. 30, Football: MSU vs. Austin Peay, Jayne Stadium, 1:30 p.m.; charge. Additional information: (606) 783-2020.
- Oct. 31, Volleyball: MSU vs. Eastern Illinois, Wetherby Gymnasium, 11 a.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2122.
- Oct. 31, Senior recital: Julia Graepel, flute, Duncan Recital Hall, 5 p.m.; free. Additional information: (606) 783-2473.

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ASHLAND, Ky.---Morehead State University's Ashland Small Business Development Center will host a "Partnerships and Corporations Workshop" on Wednesday, Aug. 18, at the center, at 1401 Winchester Avenue.

The session, which will run from 1 to 3:30 p.m., will feature Mark Greene, an attorney, and Charles Robinson, a CPA, as the guest speakers. Topics for discussion will include the pros and cons of partnerships and corporations and the legal and tax issues of each.

There is no cost for attending but pre-registration is necessary because of limited seating. Reservations may be made by calling (606) 329-8011.

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JACKSON, Ky.---Two workshops for current and prospective business owners have been scheduled by Morehead State University's Small Business Development Center and the Breathitt County Action Team.

"How to Start Your Own Business" will be offered on Wednesday, Aug. 25, from 1 to 3 p.m. Among the topics for discussion will be investigating your market, business planning, the lending process, licenses and taxes.

How to organize a business plan and its necessary components will be discussed on Wednesday, Sept. 8. The session, titled "Business Planning," will run from 1 to 3 p.m.

Both sessions will be held at the Breathitt County Public Library meeting room. There is no cost for attending but pre-registration is necessary because of limited seating. Additional information and registration are available by calling (606) 666-2800 or 1-800-729-5225.

All training programs, sponsored or co-sponsored by MSU's Small Business Development Center, are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin. Special arrangements will be made for the disabled when requested in advance.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---The Morehead State University Ashland Small Business Development Center will offer two seminars this week at the MSU Ashland Extended Campus Center located at 1701 Winchester Avenue.

An "Exporting/International Trade Workshop," will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 24. Sara K. Melton of the Export Assistance Center in Somerset will be the guest speaker.

Among the topics to be discussed are global trade and overseas marketing, learning to expand your customer base and the international trade services offered by the Export Assistance Center.

On Wednesday, Aug. 25, a "Retirement and Investment Planning Workshop" will be offered. Patricia Gray and Melissa Tackett of Morgan Stanley Dean Witter will lead the discussion.

Discussion will focus on ways to prepare for retirement: mutual funds, stocks, bonds, 401K, annuities and other investments.

Both sessions will run from 1 to 3 p.m. There is no charge for either program but pre-registration is necessary because of limited seating.

Additional information and registration are available by calling (606) 329-8011.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Faculty, staff, students and members of the community are invited to join the fun as Morehead State University kicks off its fall sports season with a pep rally on Tuesday, Aug. 31.

The activity will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Adron Doran University Center and will travel across campus to Jayne Stadium. In case of rain, the gathering will be relocated to the Academic-Athletic Center.

Coaches of the various sports are scheduled to speak. On hand for the festivities will be MSU's national champion cheerleading squad, members of the Marching Band and Beaker, the University's mascot.

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JACKSON, Ky.---Starting a business can sometimes be stressful and require knowledge in which a new business owner may not have experience.

Morehead State University's East Kentucky Small Business Development Center hopes to eliminate some of these concerns by making information readily available, according to Denise Thomas, general management consultant. "We offer workshops that are designed to make existing and prospective business owners more aware of the fundamentals of owning and operating a small business."

Among the various workshops, offered on an annual basis, are business planning, marketing, tax and record keeping and customer services, as well as specialized offerings designed for women and veterans.

"The selections will provide information on locating a business site, applying for small business loans and getting a business off the ground," Thomas said. "Our counseling services are offered on a one-on-one basis."

Anyone needing assistance may contact Thomas at MSU's Jackson Extended Campus Center at 666-2800 or 1-800-729-5225 to schedule an appointment or at the campus location, at 309 Combs Building, at (606) 783-2895. She will be at the Jackson location one day each week to serve small business owners in Breathitt, Lee, Owsley and Wolfe counties.

MSU's East Kentucky SBDC, established in 1983, is partially funded by the U.S. Small Business Administration. All training programs, sponsored or co-sponsored by SBDC, are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin.

The University's program, part of a nationwide effort to provide free assistance to existing and prospective small businesses, serves 25 counties in east Kentucky. Three offices are located throughout the region: Pikeville, serving Breathitt, Floyd, Johnson, Knott, Lee, Magoffin, Martin, Owsley, Pike and Wolfe; Ashland, serves Boyd, Carter, Elliott, Greenup and Lawrence; and the campus location, serving Bath, Bracken, Fleming, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Robertson and Rowan counties.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---The Morehead State University Radiologic Technology Program recently honored its 1999 graduates and presented an award to an alumnus of the program.

The program presented Michael Grey, a Rowan County native, with the MSU Alumni Award for Professional Excellence. Upon graduation in 1982, Grey was hired by the University of Kentucky Medical Center as a computed tomography technologist.

Just two years after being hired, the UK Medical Center chose him to work on the new NMR unit. He was one of three technologists at the Medical Center, and only four in the United States to work on the new unit, which was later called Magnetic Resonance Imaging, or MRI.

The University of Kentucky was the first medical institution in the state to receive a commercially-made MRI unit.

In 1986, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale hired Grey as a faculty member. He has completed a Master of Science degree in education and 54 hours towards a doctorate in workforce education and development at Southern Illinois.

Grey has served as a technical consultant for Anderson Magnetic Imaging, presented more than 30 papers for continuing education and written 11 articles for journals. He also has been instrumental in the development of curricula.

In addition, he has played an active role in the American Cancer Society as a patient advocate. Because he has been both a patient and a technologist, Grey has been effective in presenting patients' needs to technologists.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---A new online system, Voyager, is now operational at Morehead State University's Camden-Carroll Library.

Voyager is part of a statewide effort to provide access to information through the Kentucky Commonwealth Virtual Library (KCVL). The goals of KCVL is that "All Kentuckians will have equitable access to quality library and information resources and qualified, well-trained staff to support the Kentucky Commonwealth Virtual University as well as meet broader needs for learning, working and living."

According to Clara Keyes, MSU librarian, one way to help reach these goals is to have all state post-secondary educational institutions use the same online system. "This will help reduce costs as well as provide a common interface among the schools, so that students and faculty will not have to learn how to use multiple search systems to retrieve materials from different library catalogs. In addition, faculty and students involved in courses offered through the KCVU will find it efficient to rely upon a common system to access all KCVU resources," she said.

Keyes also noted that as KCVL develops its services, MSU constituents eventually will have access to a gateway which will enable users to simultaneously search both MSU's catalog, databases and other resources and those of other state schools. Currently, however, database access will remain unchanged, under the "Resources" banner on the Camden-Carroll Library home page.

If you would like to learn more about Voyager, contact the Camden-Carroll Library Reference Department at (606) 783-2200. To schedule a Voyager training session for a class, call Bill Malone, librarian, at (606) 783-5114.

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GREY RECEIVES ALUMNI AWARD

Michael Grey, an assistant professor of radiologic sciences at Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, Ill., has been presented Morehead State University's Radiologic Technology Program's Alumni Award for Professional Excellence. Jacklynn K. Darling, left, program coordinator, made the presentation during ceremonies on the MSU campus recently. Grey, a Rowan County native, is a 1982 graduate of MSU's Radiologic Technology Program. He was one of only three technologists chosen to work on the Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) when the University of Kentucky received the first such unit in the state in 1984.

(MSU photo by Guy Huffman)

